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Fire Boys To Have Benefit Street Dance

As a worthy cause and as an innovation in the annals of Hondo dances, the street dance to be held Saturday night, May 7, in Hondo should attract a large crowd of dancers and spectators. The al fresco affair, the first of its kind ever to be held in this city, is being given for the benefit of the Hondo Volunteer Fire Department, a cause which should receive the support of all public-minded as well as dance-minded citizens. The recently completed parking ground on North Front street, just north of the depot, will be the scene of the festivities.

Music will be supplied by the Gulf Oil Corporation, and a variety of tunes will be provided for the entertainment of all present.

The dance is scheduled to begin at 9 o'clock P. M. and will close—when the last dance is over. Ladies will be admitted free and a small charge of 50c is required of the men.

In the meantime, keep your fingers crossed and repeat the old refrain—

"Rain, rain go away,
Come again some other day!"

HIGHWAY WORK PROGRESSING.

County Judge Arthur H. Rothe and the Commissioners' Court members met Judge Robert L. Bobbitt, Chairman of the State Highway Commission, and Division Engineer F. S. Maddox, in a meeting with the citizens of Natalia Saturday night on matters pertaining to the paving of an 8.8-mile stretch of the San Antonio-Laredo road extending through Natalia. The work has been held up for some time on account of the difficulty in securing an eight-foot clearance demanded on each side of the highway by the Federal Bureau of Public Roads.

To secure this it will be necessary to move three buildings at an approximate cost of four thousand dollars. Judge Rothe and the Court, after the Saturday night conference, returned on Monday and after a further conference with local citizens in which it was definitely settled that the county could pay only \$3,000 toward this work, the citizens undertook to raise the balance by private subscription. It is thought the work will soon proceed.

Judge Rothe received assurance from Division Engineer Maddox that he is coming to Hondo next week and give the matter of widening Highway 90 through Hondo his personal attention. It is thought that Hondo will soon see work started on this improvement.

HONDO HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB MEETS.

Thirteen members of the Hondo Home Demonstration Club met in the District court room at the courthouse Tuesday afternoon, May 3rd. After the roll call, the President asked for a report from the various standing committees. Since Mrs. W. L. Taylor resigned as Vice-President, Mrs. Andrew Braden was elected to fill the vacancy. Mrs. J. B. Felts was enrolled as a new club member.

On May 10th a Pattern School will be held by Mrs. Dora Barnes, Extension Clothing Specialist. Mrs. Alfred Scheweers and Mrs. Joe Meyer will attend this school.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. J. R. Black, May 16 when Miss Foley will give a canning demonstration.

HOME RELIEF ASSOCIATION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given of a called membership meeting of the Home Relief Association of Medina County, Texas, to be held at Hondo, in the District Court room, on Saturday, May 14th at 2:30 P. M., 1938. The purpose of the meeting is to consider one or more constitutional provisions, vital to the welfare of the association and such other matters as may be presented at the meeting.

By order of the Board of Directors.

H. H. CROW,
Secretary.

AT THE BAPTIST CHURCH.

We will have a Special Mothers' Day Services Sunday, with Special Music. Every one is cordially invited. Preaching services at 11:00 A. M. and at 7:45 P. M.

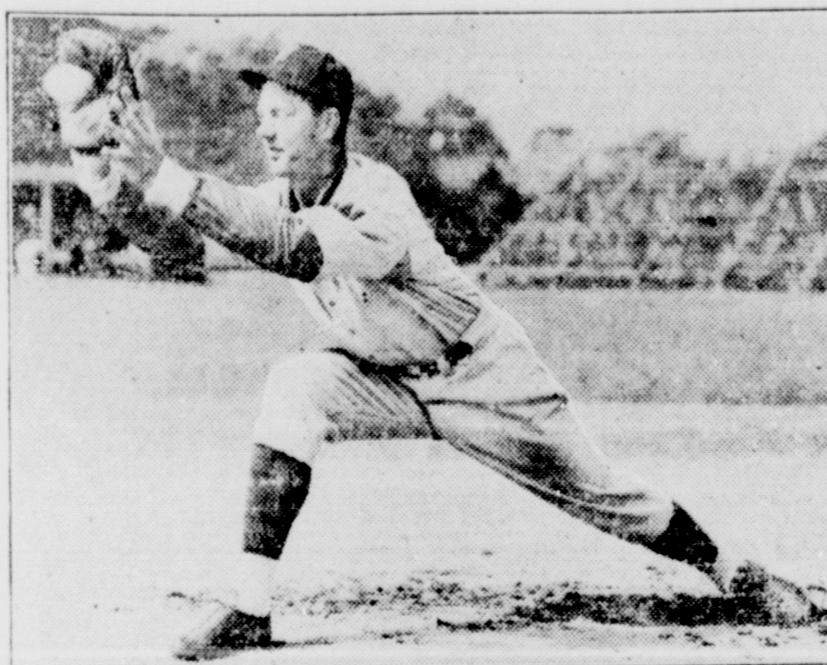
IRA GARRISON,
Pastor.

HONDO, MEDINA COUNTY, TEXAS, MAY 6, 1938.

NO TOWN EVER GREW
on Trade That Went
Elsewhere.
Are you a town builder?

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Long Stretch Shortens Throw



ONE OF THE best defensive players in baseball, Joe Kuhel, first baseman for the Washington Senators, shows how he makes the stretch to shorten the throw on close plays at the initial sack. The action is recorded in slow motion in "Batter Up", new official American League motion picture, so students of the game may study his remarkable form. Produced by the Fisher division of General Motors, the film is being made available without charge by the body-building organization.

HIGH SCHOOL BASEBALL TEAM TO GIVE BENEFIT MATINEE

To Raise Funds To Make Dallas Trip

Through the courtesy of the Colonial Theatre, the high school baseball team will give a benefit matinee Tuesday afternoon at four o'clock. All money derived from the picture show will go to defray the expenses of the boys who are going to Dallas to represent Hondo High School in the state baseball tournament.

The pictures to be shown are "Batter Up", a four-star baseball picture, and "The River", a 45-minute reel showing the Tennessee Valley Authority's work on the Mussel Shoals project.

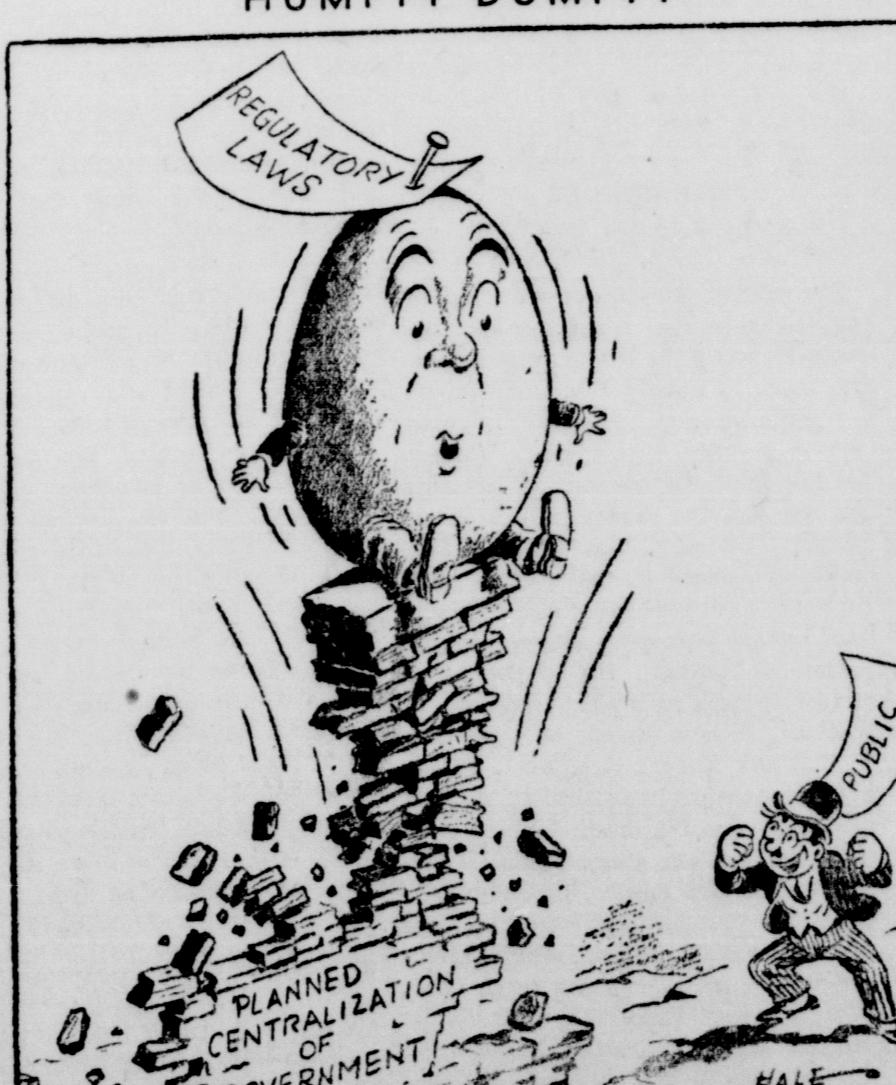
It is hoped that all baseball fans who can will help the boys raise enough money to place Hondo on the map in high school baseball. This year's team is the best the local high school has ever had, and ought to make an excellent showing at Dallas, where the eight best high school teams will compete on May 12, 13 and 14th.

Labeled a four-star picture by sports writers attending its eastern premiere, "Batter Up", the new official American League sound film, will be exhibited locally to more than 500 students of the Hondo Public Schools at the Colonial Theatre, in Hondo, Tuesday at 4 P. M. J. G. Barry, superintendent of the organization, announced today. A print of the picture for the special showing is being obtained from the Fisher Body division of General Motors, which produced and is distributing it in 2- and 4-reel lengths in 16 mm. and 35 mm. sizes. The longer version, which requires approximately 40 minutes for a showing, is the one selected by the Hondo High School baseball coach.

Many little known facts concerning play in the major leagues are revealed in the new film, Mr. Barry states. Among the features is a sequence in which Mickey Cochrane, manager of the Detroit Tigers, demonstrates the system employed by the catcher, as field general, to signal the pitcher, second baseman and shortstop, and the method of changing from one code to another when players of the opposing team are on base.

Frankie Frisch, manager of the St. Louis Cardinals, who attended the preview at the Waldorf-Astoria in New York, is reported to have found this expose of more than passing interest, since the signals illustrated by Cochrane coincided with those glimpsed briefly by the National League players in the 1934 World Series.

HUMPTY DUMPTY



TWO MEDINA TESTS TOP SERPENTINE.

The newly opened Dunlay Field in Medina County, first Serpentine field in that part of the Balcones Fault zone, has a couple of tests nearing completion, both of which are expected to be as good or better than the discovery well which was rated by some to be able to make 500 barrels daily.

Ewing Oil Company's second test, the No. 2 Riff, which is 330 feet from their discovery well of the field, is coring deeper at 625 feet with already 82 feet of the Serpentine topped at 570 feet which is reported to be showing better saturation than the first well.

Owens & Dean (Dunlay Oil & Gas Co.) No. 1 Haby in Block 4, Section 37 about 1,500 feet or more northeast of the discovery well reported top of the Serpentine around 630 feet and is down 675 feet in the formation with excellent saturation. The test bailed pure pipe line oil. It is being drilled with a sander and is making slower time than other wells in the field.

M. L. Walker and others No. 1 Zuberbueler, 2,000 feet northwest of the discovery well and in Survey 391 has been taken over by Pulliam and others and is drilling at shallow depth. Walker has moved over in Block 1, Survey 42 with his rotary and is preparing to start a test which will offset drilling block of the Ewing Oil Co.

Three miles north of Dunlay A. J. Pepper and E. F. Taylor No. 1 Saathoff in Survey No. 271 is drilling around 300 feet, being put down with cable tools.—Wednesday's Express.

People of Hondo have been listening all week to hear that the Senne oil well, which was making such good showing last week, had come in, but up to the time of going to press no news had been heard from it. The work of coring has slowed down operations somewhat.

BASEBALL NOTES.

Two more games were marked off the Highway 90 League baseball schedule Sunday, May 1st, when the Hondo Redbirds and the Quihi Red Sox played at Quihi and D'Hanis journeyed to Knippa for the game, Hondo defeated Quihi by a score of 6 to 2, and D'Hanis won theirs by a score of 2 to 1.

This Sunday, May 8, is an off-day for the League members. The Hondo Redbirds, however, are slated to play the Cotulla Cowboys here at 2:30 P. M., the game to be held on Neyfield, just south of the L. E. Kollman residence.

The next League matches, May 15, are as follows: D'Hanis at Quihi and Knippa at Hondo.

Promoters and players are deserving more support and enthusiasm from baseball fans. Let's go!

TO OWNERS OF LIVE STOCK.

Hondo adopted the stock law many years ago and it is against the law for any kind of live stock to run at large or depredate on any ones property. Complaint has been made to county officials in these particulars and we are requested to announce that the owners of depredating animals are subject to arrest and the animals to be impounded.

You can save yourself, your neighbors and the officials needless worry by seeing that your stock are kept enclosed and not permitted to run at large.

WEATHER REPORT.

For Hondo, Texas, for month of April 1938: Total rainfall 5.56 inches. Since Jan. 1st, 12.05 inches.

Temperature: highest, 90 degrees on 6 and 16th; lowest, 35 on 8th. White frost and heavy winds hurt cotton, corn and cane.

8 rainy days, 7 clear, 15 part cloudy, 3 cloudy.

H. E. HAASS,
Special Observer
U. S. Weather Bureau.

IMPORTANT.

Notice is hereby given to all producers who have any change in their farm acreage, from their 1937 work sheets and HAVE NOT NOTIFIED the County Agent's Office on FORM NO. S. R. M-205, which was sent out a few weeks ago, that MAY 15, 1938, is the FINAL DATE for this change to be made in order to be eligible for a grant.

C. M. MERRITT,
County Agri. Agent

York, Boston, Detroit and Cleveland first basemen, also are analyzed. Slow motion and a device known technically as the "frozen frame", which stops the action momentarily, are employed to illustrate the more important points.

Included in the film this year are views of the baseball school maintained by the American League for boys under 17 years old the All-Star Game in Washington and the World Series. There are also several problem plays to sharpen the eye of the spectator. Another new feature is the inclusion of several sequences depicting the hobbies of the world champion New York Yankees.

Entirely new in every sense, "Batter UP" was written and directed by Lew Fonsca, director of promotion for the American League, and recorded by Ted Husing, ace sports announcer.



SPARKS

Being News, Views and Reviews
by the
Managing Editor

MOTHER'S LOVE AND KISS.
Dedicated to Good Mothers all
in Memory of One who was
My Own.

By Fletcher Davis.

Sweetest gift from heaven to
mortals sent—
A Mother's love in selfless ser-
vice spent!
Oh joy, closest allied to heavenly
bliss,—
The pure and saintly touch of
Mother's kiss!

JUDGE SMILEY ON JUDICIAL CHANGES.

If elected to the Supreme Court of Texas, Judge Tom Smiley of Karnes City, expects to lobby thru the Legislature a resolution submitting to the people of Texas a constitutional amendment to this effect:

"Abolishing the Court of Civil Appeals of the State of Texas; abolishing the office of the District Clerk of the State of Texas; also abolishing District Judges and dividing each county into three commissioners' precincts. In place of the present system, I shall submit the following: The Supreme Court of Texas shall consist of 22 associate judges, one chief justice of the Supreme Court of Texas, and said court shall be divided into eleven sections of two judges each. Whenever two judges of any section concur in an opinion, that shall be the judgment of the Supreme Court of Texas. In the event they disagree the Chief Justice or the Associate Chief Justice shall settle the argument. All cases on appeal shall be assigned to the eleven different sections by lot by their Chief Justice or by his assistant. Said judges shall be elected and shall hold their office for a term of six years, all to be elected at the same time, so that in the event they get sorry and won't work the people can clean house at one time. At the same time, I shall submit that the office of the District Judge and District Attorney shall be abolished and that the County Judge shall have general trial jurisdiction of all civil and criminal cases and that the County Attorney represent the State in all criminal and civil matters; that there shall be two terms of court in every county. The terms shall be of six months duration each; and that a grand jury shall be empaneled which shall serve for a period of six months, to be paid only while on duty, and may be called on duty at any time by the County Judge. At the call of the County Judge the lawyers of any county may elect anyone or any number of judges, who may serve at the will of the County Judge at the trial of any civil or county case. Each county shall be divided into three commissioners' precincts. Precinct No. 1, which shall include the county seat, shall be served by the presiding officer of the Commissioners' Court of each county, and there shall be two more commissioners' precincts, each served by a commissioner elected in the precinct. Two commissioners or one commissioner and the presiding officer of the Commissioners' Court shall constitute a quorum for all matters except for taxation. In that case all three commissioners must attend any meeting in reference to taxation, and no taxes shall be increased except by the unanimous vote of the two commissioners and the presiding officers of said Commissioners' Court."

Judge Smiley's proposals would work a vast change in our judicial system, and are deserving of a careful consideration. Few will deny that our present system could be improved.

RECIPE FOR RECOVERY.

Testifying before a Senate committee, Bernard Baruch, the well-known financier and advisor of the President, said that the present depression can be ended by a change of the government's attitude toward business and a wise readjustment of the tax structure. He stated that he agreed with the President's view that the national income could reach \$100,000,000,000 a year, as against about \$67,500,000,000 at present, and added that a business upsurge is now being prevented by a feeling of insecurity—the fear that reasonable profits will be confiscated by "inordinate taxation" and that assets will be subjected to some "great arbitrage".

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WLETS

PUBLIC SCHOOL NEWS ITEMS
FROM THE OWL.

Commencement Exercises To Be Held on Barry Field

THOUSAND EXPECTED TO ATTEND

Commencement Exercises will be held on the campus for the first time since year, when they were held outside of necessity. They will be on the football field where of the lights and a public system will be installed, using capacity of over one and will be provided. The exercises will begin at 8:00 P. M.

gala homecoming celebration Hondo High School graduates years (1934-1938) is to be observed by the 1938 Seniors. This

will begin before the Commencement Exercises, at 5:00 o'clock

on school campus. A musical pro-

gram will be given for entertainment,

which will continue until 8:00

PM. Fifteen graduates, who have had some success in life, will

be at the Exercises. Four hundred

graduates to the homecoming have

been invited, and others will be sent

as addresses of graduates are

known. A representative has been

selected in each graduating class

to send personal invitations to

members of his class. The representa-

tives are as follows:

Mrs. T. C. Barnes
Mrs. Tom Holloway
Mrs. O. L. Cory

Mr. Hugo A. Scheweers
Dr. O. B. Taylor
Mrs. S. S. Moore

Mrs. H. V. Haass

Mrs. Leslie Holloway

Miss Lucille Woolls

Mr. W. T. Crow

Mrs. Isabel Garber

Mr. Bill Windrow

Mrs. Emmett Nester

Mrs. Robert Kollman

Mr. Henry Windrow

Mr. Benjie Bradley

Mrs. Eunice Connell

Mrs. Emmett Kollman

Miss Anne Davis

Mrs. Ottie Schuehle

Mrs. Horace Crow

Miss Elta Leinweber

Miss Jonelle Rothe

Miss Frances Finger

Mrs. Frank Scheweers

Mrs. Jack Drotcourt

Miss Bernice Speece

Mrs. John H. Meyer

Miss Mary Kate Huesser

Roy Bohlen

Miss Gwen Gray

for the Baccalaureate Sermon

yet indefinite except for the

high services will be held at

the evening hour.

O-w-l-e-t-s

FARM PRODUCT WILL BE TICKET OF ADMISSION TO JUNIOR-SENIOR BARN DANCE

High dress and overalls will

next Saturday night at

the Park Barn when the

Class of Hondo High School

will be entertained by the Junior

with a barn dance.

"rootin'-tootin'" program will

throughout the evening by

members of the two classes

the faculty. For admission, each

will be required to bring one

product. In case the "ticket"

is edible, refreshments

will be served from the ol' wishin'

Ruth

Chopin

and Muen

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FINAL EXAMINATION SCHEDULE

| SENIOR EXAMS | May 17 & 18 |
|-----------------|---------------------------------|
| Tuesday | a. m. English IV |
| | p. m. Texas History & V. A. III |
| Wednesday | a. m. Journalism |
| | p. m. Com. Law & Spanish II |
| REGULAR EXAMS | May 19 - 23 |
| Thursday | a. m. English |
| | p. m. Mathematics |
| Friday | a. m. Jr. Bus. & Span. I |
| | 10:30 Typing |
| | p. m. H. E. & V. A. |
| Monday | a. m. History |
| | p. m. Science |
| Monday, May 9th | Phys. Ed. (Girls) |

Hondo To Participate In Seguin Music Meet

Annual Style Revue To Be Staged May 9

Members of the Homemaking Classes I and II are presenting their annual musical style revue next Monday night, May 9, at 8:00 P. M. in the High School Auditorium. This style show will be held in connection with the final P.T. A. meeting of this school term.

Girls taking Homemaking I will model school dresses while the II year girls will model tailored dresses, adapted to general wear. These dresses were constructed both as class and home projects.

The musical program for the Style Revue which will be under the direction of Mrs. C. D. Sadler, Choral Club Director, will consist of the following numbers:

Mixed Chorus—"There's A Gold Mine In The Sky"

Sextette—"The Voice In The Old Village Choir"

Tenor Solo—"A Cottage Small" (Leslie Earl Holloway)

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Hon. Joe Briscoe of Devine was in Hondo Thursday on legal business at the courthouse.

COLD WASH DRESSES FOR SUMMER WEAR. HOLLMIG'S DRESS SHOP.

GIVE HER A PAIR OF KAYSER HOSE FOR MOTHER'S DAY. HOLLMIG'S DRESS SHOP.

Mr. Monroe L. Taylor of Pyote had his tonsils removed at the Medina Hospital on May 2nd.

Windrow Drug News

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LADIES' AID MEETS.

Mrs. George Karm was hostess to the Ladies' Aid Society of St. Paul's Lutheran Church, when it met in regular session Wednesday afternoon, May 4th. The meeting was opened by a reading of Mark, chapter 9, on the Transfiguration by Rev. Paul Czerkus. In the business transactions it was decided to have a chicken fry in July and a bazaar and hobby show sometime in September. Mrs. Paul Czerkus and Mrs. Alfred Breiten were appointed to serve on the flower committee.

Refreshments of chicken sandwiches cake and coffee were served to the following: Rev. and Mrs. Paul Czerkus, Mesdames August Schroeder, F. R. Grube, Charlotte Miller, Wm. Mussman, Ernest Wolff, Chas. Haass, Arnold Mussman, George Bendele, Amanda Muennink, Emmet Nester, L. A. Mechler, H. E. Haass, Ben Oefinger, L. F. Grube, Alfred Breiten, Ben de Groot, Wesley de Groot, and Misses Alice Muennink, Mary Lina Karm and Alma Karm.

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AMBULANCE SERVICE anywhere, DAY or NIGHT. John A. Horger, Funeral Director. Phone 75.

Marvin Grell, genial clerk at Grell's Grocey, is on the sick list. His friends wish him a speedy recovery.

Beat the Worms to the Profits. Use Tetra or Arsate Sheep and Goat Drench. **WINDROW DRUG STORE.** 3tc.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Robertson of LaPryor visited Mrs. Robertson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Embrey, Monday.

DOES YOUR CAR NEED NEW SEAT COVERS? GET THEM AT WESTERN AUTO ASSOCIATE STORE.

FOR A COOL SHAVE AND AN UP-TO-DATE HAIR CUT GO TO BARNES AND COFFEY AT THE BARNES BARBER SHOP. t.f.

If you are looking for desirable residence lots or acreage property let us show you the Barkuloo Addition. **HONDO LAND CO.** t.f.

Frank X. Vance has decided to seek the Democratic nomination for County Attorney in the July primary. Note the change to that effect in his card in our announcement column.

Edmund Haby of Bader Settlement underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Medina Hospital Tuesday. At latest reports he was making satisfactory progress towards recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Fusselman and two children, Lela and Charles, arrived Thursday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Fusselman and Mr. and Mrs. George Carle, and other relatives here.

THE LADIES OF THE METHODIST CHURCH ARE GIVING A DINNER IN THE BUILDING FORMERLY OCCUPIED BY OASIS CAFE ON TUESDAY, MAY 10. CHARGES 35c AND 25c. 1tc.

F. F. Mumme was a caller at this office Wednesday and ordered the paper sent to his son-in-law, Milton Oefinger, at Houston. Mr. Oefinger recently moved to Houston from San Antonio where he previously resided.

FOR RE-SALE: Piano. Medium size, standard make. Customer near Hondo unable to finish payments. Will sell for just the \$48 against it rather than return to San Antonio. Payments can be small. For location, write CRITCHETT PIANO CO., 1907 W. Woodlawn, San Antonio, Texas. 3tc.

Mrs. Sadie Hutzler arrived the first of the week from Houston, where she has been the guest of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Batot, and little granddaughter, Barbara Anne Batot. After spending several days with Judge and Mrs. Ed de Montel, Mrs. Hutzler plans to join her sister, Mrs. McElroy, for a visit in north Texas, after which she will return to her home in Washington, D. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bradley and little son, Peyton, were here from San Antonio Sunday visiting relatives. While here Jack went fishing and caught some nice fish out of the Hondo.

The Keno party, for benefit of St. John's parish, has been postponed from Sunday, May 8, to Sunday, May 15, at 7:30 P. M. See announcement elsewhere in this paper.

Buddy Davis went to Houston Tuesday, and was accompanied back by his sister, Charlotte Tomlin, for a visit with relatives here.

Miss Hettie Nester left several days ago for El Campo where she will be employed in secretarial work for a motor company.

WINDROW'S orders flowers. t.f.

SOUTH TEXAS MUSICAL FESTIVAL OPENS THURSDAY.

Seguin, Texas, May 3.—The South Texas Musical Festival, sponsored by the Texas Lutheran College will get underway here Thursday May 5, and continue through Saturday.

During a short period of five years the local Musical show has become the largest in the state, with over 3,000 contestants, representing 42 high schools enrolled here last year. Director R. R. Willman of Texas Lutheran College predicts even a larger entry this year.

Entrance blanks have been received from twenty-nine schools with others to file before the deadline: Schools entered include: Wharton, 1937 winner of the meet, San Marcos Baptist Academy, runners up, Dime Box Alice Bastrop, Bellville, Cuero, Thomas Edison of San Antonio, Hondo Karnes City, Kenedy, Kyle Lockhart, Manor, Martindale, Moulton, New Braunfels, Pearsall, Petrolia, Pflugerville, St. Ludmilla Academy, Seguin, Shiner, Smiley, Uvalde, Victoria, Yorktown, and Hutto.

Contest will be held in twenty-nine events and a huge parade by the entire bands will take place Saturday afternoon on the city square of Seguin.

The Thursday Bridge Club and several guests were entertained by Mrs. H. J. Meyer on Thursday afternoon of last week. Mrs. O. B. Taylor won high score and Mrs. L. E. Heath won second high score for members, and Mrs. J. G. Barry won for guests. Refreshments of potato salad, ham sandwiches, olives and iced tea were served. The personnel included Mesdames J. M. Finger, T. B. Knopp, W. H. Smith, R. J. Noonan, O. H. Miller, Earl Starnes, L. J. Brucks, L. E. Heath, O. B. Taylor, Robert Kollman, J. G. Barry, Walter B. Meyer, and H. J. Meyer.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Brucks were hosts to the Wednesday Night Bridge Club this week, entertaining four tables of players. Club trophies were awarded Mrs. Robert Kollman and Dr. H. J. Meyer. A refreshing fruit punch was served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Heath, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Starnes, Dr. and Mrs. O. B. Taylor, Dr. and Mrs. T. B. Knopp, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kollman, Dr. and Mrs. H. J. Meyer, Mrs. Harmon Hubert, Miss Josephine Brucks and the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Brucks.

THE LADIES OF THE METHODIST CHURCH ARE GIVING A DINNER IN THE BUILDING FORMERLY OCCUPIED BY OASIS CAFE ON TUESDAY, MAY 10. CHARGES 35c AND 25c. 1tc.

F. F. Mumme was a caller at this office Wednesday and ordered the paper sent to his son-in-law, Milton Oefinger, at Houston. Mr. Oefinger recently moved to Houston from San Antonio where he previously resided.

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Mrs. Sadie Hutzler arrived the first of the week from Houston, where she has been the guest of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Batot, and little granddaughter, Barbara Anne Batot. After spending several days with Judge and Mrs. Ed de Montel, Mrs. Hutzler plans to join her sister, Mrs. McElroy, for a visit in north Texas, after which she will return to her home in Washington, D. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bradley and little son, Peyton, were here from San Antonio Sunday visiting relatives. While here Jack went fishing and caught some nice fish out of the Hondo.

The Keno party, for benefit of St. John's parish, has been postponed from Sunday, May 8, to Sunday, May 15, at 7:30 P. M. See announcement elsewhere in this paper.

Buddy Davis went to Houston Tuesday, and was accompanied back by his sister, Charlotte Tomlin, for a visit with relatives here.

Miss Hettie Nester left several days ago for El Campo where she will be employed in secretarial work for a motor company.

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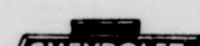
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Misses Mildred and Gladys Webb
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Mr. and Mrs. George Gaskin of
San Antonio were guests of Mr. and
Mrs. W. H. Case last Friday.

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MAN.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Whitehead and
children of San Antonio spent Sun-
day with Mrs. Whitehead's mother,
Mrs. Toby Sauter.

A. E. Umlang was down from
Utopia Monday on business and
while here paid our office an ap-
preciated call.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Windrow were
out from San Antonio visiting Mrs.
Windrow's mother, Mrs. Toby Sauter,
and other relatives here.

Watch the New Fountain Cowboys
receive their "MAIL ORDER
BRIDES". A three-act farce comedy
at the New Fountain school, May 7,
8 P. M. 4-2tpd.

Wm. B. Weber moved up his dates
Wednesday. Mr. Weber's crops were
set back by the recent cold weather,
and now he says he is hoping for
"July rains".

It will pay you to get the habit of
reading the classified ads. Others
with something to sell find them
profitable advertising mediums. So
will you; try it.

Philip Nixon of Yancey entered
the Medina Hospital Tuesday where
he is receiving medical treatment.
Friends wish for him an early restora-
tion to his normal health.

Mesdames Alice Bertriever and
Mary Cook visited their kinsman,
Martin Zimmerman, who is under
treatment at the Santa Rosa Infir-
mary, last Saturday.

John M. Finger was called to San
Antonio Monday to serve on the
Federal petit jury, but the jury was
excused for the week and instructed
to return next Monday.

H. E. Haass, Attorney at Law,
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Mrs. L. L. Dorsey left Tuesday for
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Friends of Mr. August Schuehl
rejoice that he is still confined to his
bed with rheumatism. Although he
is able to be up at intervals, Mr.
Schuehl finds it far too painful to
make the effort very often.

People in Hondo and vicinity wish
to take advantage of credit facil-
ties afforded by the Federal Housing
Authority to remodel or repair
their buildings and conveniences, can
do so in amounts up to but not
exceeding \$2,500.00. See the Alamo
Bank Company's announcement on
last page and confer with Mr.
John Zubel, Suburban
Life, Hondo, covering
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HONDO, TEXAS, MAY 6, 1938

WASHINGTON SNAPSHOTS.

By James Preston.

The opinions here expressed are Mr. Preston's own and not necessarily those of this paper.—M. E.

The opposing camps on Capitol Hill are in battle formation again. In the House the wage-hour bill is the issue. In the Senate the new spending spree plan is the center of the conflict.

But those are only the major engagements. On other fronts the war still goes on.

In brief, there is not a single legislative proposal in the Capital City this week that is not an issue for a fight between those seeking to create some degree of public confidence and those who stick to the disproven theory that continued regulation and deficit spending is the only depression antidote.

—WS—

In the category of "minor" issues are such bills as the Wagner bill in the Senate and the Healey bill in the House to force persons borrowing from the government or selling to the government to comply with the National Labor Relations Act.

Supporting the congressional coalition in opposing these bills is the U. S. Navy. The Navy Department says it is already hampered in its dealings with private firms by nine regulatory Federal statutes. The Comptroller General's office, too, doesn't want either bill passed because it would add to administrative expenses in Washington and increase costs of materials that must be purchased by the government—and by the public, too).

—WS—

In the wage-hour and spending program fights, political strategy—pressure, patronage and promises—has already become evident as a tool to pry opponents out of the coalition camp. However, observers believe the opponents have been materially strengthened by their victories in the Supreme Court and Reorganization Bill fights and by the wide support given them by the public (by telegrams and letters) in both frays.

—WS—

Incidentally, as the advocates of more spending launched their campaign, the Treasury department's regular report showed the government had spent \$6,036,446,894 during the nine and a half months of the current fiscal year—just \$1,087,644,281 more than was taken in during the same period. The report also announced that the I. O. U.'s in the public purse now total \$37,563,358,287, or nearly three billion more than at the same time last year.

—WS—

The special Senate committee studying unemployment and relief made a startling discovery during its recent investigation, and a great many persons are looking in the direction of WPA headquarters with arched brows. The committee, among many other things, reports that it found 36 per cent of the WPA relief workers in five cities occupying other positions and drawing Federal relief money at the same time!

—WS—

Remember a few months back when several C. I. O. officials had some ungentlemanly things to say about the Daughters of the American Revolution? Well, the Daughters' ears have had their innin', and although the C. I. O. was not named, Capitol spectators didn't even bother to ask who was meant by the D. A. R. blast at "subversive forces" at work in America.

Mrs. Vinton Earl Sisson, aggressive chairman of the D. A. R.'s Committee for National Defense Through Patriotic Education, told her fellow-women of the D. A. R. congress in Washington that these "subversive influences have penetrated even into the agencies of the government" and then went on to say:

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By Julian Capers, Jr.

The opinions here expressed are the author's own and not necessarily those of the Herald.—M. E.

Austin, May 2.—The political pinwheel, set off by the Governor's race, whirled merrily on in Texas, and the week-end found these newsworthy developments: Meetings of Ferguson supporters, demanding full payment of \$15 pensions to everybody in Texas over 65, regardless of need, carefully staged in San Antonio and Dallas, had caused several hundred letters and telegrams to be sent "Ma", seeking to draft her, but spokesman Jim repeated she "is not a candidate" . . . Best guessers here believed the build-up was to place Jim in position to throw his support advantageously to some other candidate, and did not think the Ferguson's would switch their decision not to enter "Ma" . . . Gov. Allred told reporters he wouldn't get in, even if the Fergusons did, and said he would be enjoying Gulf breezes at Galveston during the summer while other candidates were perspiring and laboring each other . . . Tom Hunter had not yet produced his promised platform . . . Karl Crowley, the Washington candidate, is NOT being supported by the national Democratic party organization in his race for Governor of Texas, according to a telegram which Bob Barker, secretary of the Senate, sent Jim Farley, asking the direct question, which Farley promptly answered in the negative . . . Bill McCraw resumed campaigning with talks in Northeast Texas . . . Ernest Thompson was out of the State to attend an interstate oil compact commission meeting at Wichita, Kansas . . . Welly Hopkins, former Senator from Gonzales, and lately a special assistant U. S. Attorney General in Washington, resigned to accept appointment as first assistant attorney general under Bill McCraw, succeeding Scott Gaines, who becomes Texas University's legal representative.

All Incumbents Opposed.

Every State official seeking re-election, with the possible exception of some of the higher court judges, will have opposition, according to announcements which may, or may not be backed up with filing fees, when the time comes to put up the money.

Judge Harry Graves of Court of Criminal Appeals, whose eligibility has been questioned in a lawsuit dismissed by the court, filed for re-election, and will be opposed by C. A. Pippen, of Dallas, a veteran former judge of the Criminal District Bench there . . . Gerald C. Mann, former Secretary of State, opened his campaign for Attorney General before a generous crowd at his birthplace, Sulphur Springs . . . Mann is generally believed by observers here to be the best bet for a runoff in this race against Lt. Gov. Walter Wood, whose campaign, reports here indicate, has been going so well that many doubt a runoff will be necessary . . . Pascom Giles opposing Land Commissioner Bill McDonald for re-election, swung into active campaign and organization work, indicating he will vigorously make an issue of McDonald's conduct of the Land Office during the past two years . . . Coke Stevenson, twice speaker, and candidate for Lt. Governor, is conducting a unique handshaking campaign, making few speeches, but visiting many hundreds of voters while Sen. G. H. Nelson, his chief opponent, is vigorously advocating a unicameral legislature as an issue.

Famous Editor Visitor

Texas was honored at the weekend by the visit of Barry Faris, editor-in-chief of International News Service, whose job in New York is to keep his finger on the pulse of imminent news events in a hundred nations of the world, and direct a staff of several hundred foreign and domestic correspondents. "News services of the world have been working on a war time basis for five years, since Hitler invaded the Ruhr basin, and tore up the Versailles treaty," he said. "Hourly, we have been expecting the match that would set off the tinder-box of another world war. It will come whenever the democracies of the world are ready to demand a showdown with the dictators, and it is inevitable." Faris flew from New York to Dallas to address Southwestern members of Sigma Delta Chi, professional journalism fraternity, and to renew old acquaintances with Texas newsmen. He got some of his early training in this State.

Sigma Delta Chi conferred the honor of initiation upon four journalists, including the correspondent.

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SAN ANTONIO LIVESTOCK MARKET.

Monday, May 2, 1938.
(Federal-State Market News Serv.)
Hogs, receipts 400. Market generally active but prices were steady to 15c lower than last week's close. The top dropped to \$7.35, the lowest since early 1935, for most good to choice 175 to 250-lb. butchers. Good to choice 160 to 175-lbs. mostly \$7.25 to \$7.35, 140 to 160-lbs. mostly \$7.00 to \$7.25. 250 to 300-lbs. \$7.00 to \$7.35. Packing sows mostly \$6.00 to \$6.50. Pigs steady at \$6.25 to \$7.00.

Cattle, receipts 800, calves 1,200. Indications that supplies for day will exceed early estimates. Most all slaughter cattle and calves dull except few good calves and yearlings. Stockers active, strong to 25c higher than last week's close. Some good yearlings steady, most other classes weak to 25c lower with many sales, especially on cows as much as 50c off.

Medium grass steers \$6.50 down. Few truck lots of good yearlings, including 658-lbs. \$7.50, odd head to \$8.00. Most other plain and medium kinds \$5.00 to \$7.00, some below. Good calves mostly \$7.00 to \$7.25, few \$7.50, odd head to \$8.00. Plain and medium kinds \$4.75 to \$6.75, culs down around \$4.00. Low cutters and cutters \$3.00 to \$4.25, including a load of \$4.00 with 6 head out at \$2.50. Plain and medium cows sold mostly at \$4.50 to \$4.75, load of good cows \$5.30, odd head to \$5.35. Bulls mostly \$5.25 down, odd head \$5.40. Stocker calves and yearlings mostly \$6.00 to \$7.00, few sales to \$7.25 for light weight steer calves. A string of medium 700-lbs. stocker steers \$6.00, 10 head out at \$5.50. Many lots of plain cattle and calves unsold late.

Sheep, receipts none; goats, none. Few lots of shorn wethers steady at \$3.00 to \$3.25.

Smoke Cost High
Texans smoked \$35,551,644 worth of cigarettes, or about \$6 worth per capita during the last year, according to estimates of the state treasurer, based on taxes collected. They also drank 20,911,026 cases of beer and nearly 4,000,000 gallons of hard liquor, and paid in State stamp taxes a total of \$6,635,334 during the year, the estimates showed.

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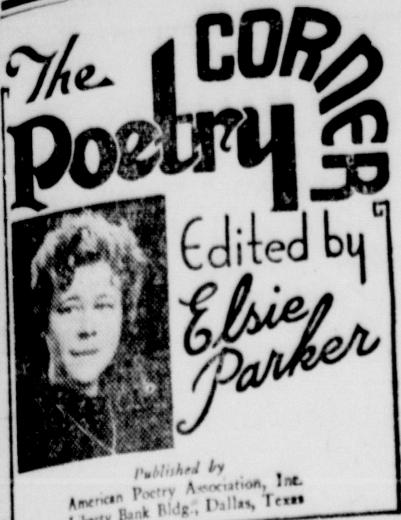
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Men search the earth's deep heart
for gems
Whose glowing beauty stirs the soul;
But, having found their jewels rare,
Must guard their treasure if they
hold.

Mine is a jewel fairer still
Than any found in vault or mart—
Friendship is not bought or sold;
And safe when locked within the
heart.

—ENNEN REAVES HALL,
Pauls Valley, Okla.

MY PRAYERS.

Dear God, I do not, cannot see
Around the curve, beyond the hill;
But putting all my trust in Thee
I pray that I may do Thy will.

It matters not how steep the road,
How rough and stony be the ground,
I cannot wander far abroad,
If Faith and Hope and Love abound.

O grant these graces rich abide,
Within my heart from day to day;
My chart, my comfort and my guide
That I may walk the Perfect Way.

—BESSIE HALE EVERETT,
Weatherford, Texas.

WILLOWS.

The willows along the slough
are colonial ladies
in delicate lace
who dip their slender, perfumed fingers
in the muddy stream.

KIRKAND EDWARDS,
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BOOKS.

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That always lends,
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Books are friends
That good and bad blend
Giving inspiration
That leads to exiation;
Friend in deed
When in need
Of soul communing
Bad taste exhuming.

With use and abuse
We will pledge a truce
They are our friends we bid them
to stay.

—INEZ W. MCANALY,
Mathis, Texas.

TRIOLET.

Swift as an arrow through the air
Speeds a thought across the mind,
Reaches its goal when it is aimed
square.

Swift as an arrow through the air
Unaimed is lost in distance, where
It is lost and we may not find.

Swift as an arrow through the air
Speeds a thought across the mind.

—BERYL ROWE KIDD,
Palo Pinto, Texas.

HELP WITH YOUR HOUSE CLEANING.

By Eva Everson.

At house cleaning time this spring you can have few of the things that help lighten your work and make your home the show place of the neighborhood. Go to your refrigerator dealer and get from him several wooden cases his refrigerators were shipped in and put the desired number of shelves in each case and put one side of the box on with hinges and give the case a coat of paint and take it to the attic and fasten it in place. By adding to this room little by little you can some day have a playroom or an extra bedroom or just a lovely place for storage.

Go over your clothes closet and see what improvements you can have there. Take everything out and paper it first with newspapers, then you can use up odds and ends of leftover paper. You may wonder why the newspaper. You may be an excellent housewife and yet moths will get in and this is the best way to make sure that moths will leave. They do not like the printer's ink. You can use as many kinds of paper as you like on the walls either in an all over effect or panels. Across one end put up a broom handle to accommodate clothes hangers and paint it some bright color. Put a shelf across the space over the door and one along the mop board. Paper boxes covered with pretty paper will make your top shelf thing of beauty instead of just a place to store things. Paint the lower shelf and you will never be tempted to put your shoes away without cleaning them. Smaller shelves along the other side of the door will lighten the dresser of over burdened drawers. Your bedrooms will seem easier to clean and the children will keep their rooms in order without so much trouble.

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Zavala County Sentinel.

BATESVILLE WELL PUMPING AT RATE OF ESTIMATED 200 BARRELS A DAY.

Tom Gilliam, on whose land the Batesville oil well No. 1 is located, was in Crystal City Wednesday and told H. C. White, W. T. Childress and others that the well was then producing oil on pump at an estimated 200 barrels per day. Pumps had been running night and day for 12 days, getting nothing but water until late Tuesday, according to reports, when oil began to show up, with the estimate Wednesday of 200 barrels.

It is also stated the oil is better and stronger than before, and the general belief seems to be that this well is on the very edge of the oil pool. The second well drilled a short distance southwest was a dry hole although oil saturated sands were encountered in the test.

If the above reports are correct in the amount of oil being produced, it is very probable that other test wells will be made in this area.

It is also reported here that the well on the Chilton ranch in Maverick county is flowing 20 barrels of oil per day. While this well is directly west of the Batesville well, it is in a different formation and probably has no connection; however, it is encouraging to think there is oil on two sides of the county.

Uvalde Leader-News.

Oscar Richards reported here Wednesday morning that heavy rains had fallen in the Trio section, putting sloughs and creeks up. The rain was just what was needed to put a season in the ground for corn and grain sorghum crops.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Bendle, Mrs. Hettie Large and Miss Belva Brice visited the Allen families in Hondo Sunday.—Leakey.

The Pearls Leader.

Jack Bilhartz, 67, died at his home in Piry Thursday, April 21, and was buried in the Hondo cemetery Saturday morning. Mr. Bilhartz was an uncle of August and Henry Bilhartz. Mrs. Arthur Dawson and Mrs. L. E. Downs, who attended the funeral, the men acting as pallbearers. Mr. Bilhartz is survived by his wife and eight children, three boys and five girls.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Gilliam and son, T. J. Gilliam, Jr., spent Sunday at Cuero.

The Atascosa County Monitor.

Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Steinle were Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Wurzbach and baby son of Shreveport, Louisiana, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ricks and Miss Hortense Bilhartz of Pearls, Dr. and Mrs. T. A. Baker of San Antonio, Clyde Mangold of Texas A. & M. College and Miss Ruth Mehner.

Mrs. Francis Wurzbach returned home last Wednesday from a visit of several weeks with relatives at LaCoste and San Antonio.

Miss Leon Horger visited in Austin over the week-end.

From The Bandera News Era.

Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Wiemers and son, Willie, and Mrs. B. C. Wiemers visited friends and relatives in Hondo Sunday. Mrs. B. C. Wiemers who has been visiting here remained there for a short visit with her son, Otto Wiemers.

F. G. Muennink of Hondo, connected with the Central States Life Insurance Co., visited Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Wiemers Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Short of Hondo, were visitors here Saturday.

Mrs. Cleora Davenport and son, Warren, made a business trip to Hondo, Castroville and San Antonio Tuesday.

Charlie Eckhart and sons, Howard and Leo, sawed their first lumber on their new sawmill, which was recently installed on the ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Eckhart of Edinburg, were guests of Mrs. Mark McBryde and Mr. and Mrs. Chas.

Eckhart this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Postert and B. G. Wiemers made a business trip to Hondo Thursday.

Alfred Saathoff and son and Prof. Ben Willis of Tarpley, were visitors here Monday.

YESTERDAY AND TOMORROW.

Elsie Bentley Malin.

Another year has gone away
Into the land of yesterday;
Did we sow good seed, going there?
And if we did not, do we care?
Will we go spreading joy or sorrow
Into the New Year of tomorrow?
And will we live so that we may
Look back with joy on "Yesterday"?

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THE LOW DOWN from HICKORY GROVE

Seems like a feller never gets a chance to go to bed any more, and have any kind of an idea about what will be going on by 6:30 A. M. tomorrow.

And things they may be calm and cool as a cucumber to-day, and in an uproar to-morrow—or the opposite. And most of the commotion, it comes from our own Capitol, where things should be secure, instead of like maybe some jelly tetterin' on a plate.

Like with money—we used to have a gold dollar, but now our dollar, nobody knows it. And if you are caught owning a gold dollar, you go to jail, like as if you was Jesse James.

And on nights when you climb into bed, and think things are half-way gettin' settled, and you figure maybe you can relax a minute or plan something to do in the A. M., there will be a law against it by sun-up.

Gettin' dizzy on a merry-go-around—it is tame stuff.

Yours, with the low down,

JO SERRA

ALONG GARDEN WALKS.

I have attended divine services in the old St. Louis Cathedral of the French in New Orleans. The cathedral was one of the finest of the Old South and picturesque in the new.

Outside of the building is stately, inside artistic and romantic. The great altar is a masterpiece of architecture and surmounted with a five cherub of solid gold. At the foot are graves of Southern religious notables. Just at the back a great painting represents a weary traveler. Great windows are stained and each floods the massive hall with mellow, golden light. Amidst that silent romantic environment, the swinging of the censer, the curling smoke from the burning incense and the robed priest ringing silver bells, together with the soft music of the choir left the impression upon my mind I was on Holy ground.

That was a great occasion in my life but I believe I would have gotten more spiritual encouragement had it been in a little country Church. I was a man from the country.

I do not belong to the Church but I go, and I help support it. I believe in the church but great cathedrals do not appeal to me. Of course, had I been raised under such environments it would be different. I like the countryside church with its crude altar, fresh cut flowers and homely preacher.

The countryside church speaks my language. The Man of the hill country was a country gentleman. He associated with country people and taught them in a country manner.

He talked about the "Sower" and the "Reaper". He encouraged the

discouraged, helped those who were sick and in the night of death pointed the grieved children to the trembling star of hope. Isn't it encouraging to read the golden words of that Lowly man: "He that drinketh of the water I give him shall never thirst".

The other evening I was at church;

one of those little countryside churches we knew when we were boys. The singing was good, prayers appealing and the preacher's message encouraging. After a day's hard work there is nothing more pleasant for me and mine than to walk down the lane with neighbors to the little church and listen to the preacher in his countryside manner talk about the "Choir Invisible". We are going to die and after that the judgment. Undoubtedly after the great experience we call death we will go down to the grave and in dreamless sleep await the time patiently "Until the day breaketh and the shadows flee away".

The Countryside preacher is able to eloquently elaborate on that question. Go hear him.

Not being a member why do I

help support the church? Because I

believe it is the greatest asset to our

civilization. It is a stepping stone to

a better life. Its sterling behaviors

make life worth while. Young man

and ladies raised in the church will

get more good out of life. If they

live up to its tenets their lives will

never be shipwrecked. Allow me to

say to the young man working at the

wine press: Go to Church. Allow me

to say to the young lady carrying

purple grapes in earthen vessels: Go

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OUR PUZZLE CORNERS ANSWERS

Castroville Cullings

LOCAL PERSONAL AND BUSINESS ITEMS FROM THIS BUSY BURG

DORIS TONDRE, LOCAL REPRESENTATIVE

News and advertising copy for this column for the week's issue should be submitted to Miss Tondre or mailed direct to us at Hondo not later than Tuesday night of each week. Miss Tondre is authorized to collect and receipt for lay business for this paper

CASTROVILLE, TEXAS, TUESDAY, MAY 3, 1938

FOR YOUR 1938 HUDSON AND TERRAPLANE SEE JOE A. BADER FOR A DEMONSTRATION.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Mechler and daughter, Irene, of Hondo were visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Louis Mehl and family Sunday.

Joe Tschirhart, Sr., and Elton Tondre were visiting with Albert Tschirhart one day the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Zuercher from Uvalde and Mr. and Mrs. Clark Tondre and baby were visiting with Mrs. A. H. Tondre and son.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Oerter of the Alamo City were Castroville visitors Sunday.

Mrs. August Schuehle and daughters were visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Hilmer Mangold and sons.

Mrs. A. H. Tondre and Mrs. P. J. Zuercher were San Antonio visitors one day the past week.

Louis Burrell spent the afternoon visiting with Joe Tschirhart, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wallace and Miss Rosa Halbardier were guests of relatives Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Young and family and Dutch Kirchner from Camp Bullis were visitors in the Henry Haller home Sunday.

Mary Groff and Mrs. Julius Groff and children were visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Haller and daughter Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Pope and daughter, LaVerne, and Mr. and Mrs. Mac Murry and sister, Ethel, were visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Emil Biry and daughter Sunday.

Mrs. Alfred Bourquin and daughter, Betty Jean, were visiting with Mrs. Pauline Tondre and family and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tondre.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wernette from Seguin and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Wernette of Gonzales were visiting with Mrs. Louise Hutzler.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Heinen were visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tondre Saturday.

Charles Adams of Smithsonville spent the week-end at Castroville.

Mrs. Paul Tondre and son, Harvey, and daughter, Gladys, were Hondo visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Neuman and daughter were visiting at Macdona, Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. P. J. Zuercher of Uvalde is visiting with Mrs. A. H. Tondre and brother, Elton, and Grandpa Tschirhart.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tondre and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Belzung were visiting with Mrs. Eugene Belzung in San Antonio. Mrs. Belzung has been ill for some time.

The Firemen's Ball and Box Supper at Wernette's Garden Sunday night was very successful for the first drive to finance fire fighting equipment. Tickets to the affair were sold all over the country before hand, thus bringing a large crowd to the ball to enjoy the music of the Twilight Blenders. The firemen are very grateful for the generous donations, for the fine and artistic boxes, for the cooperation of the young ladies who volunteered to sell tickets and did so successfully. The firemen feel that they are working in cooperation of the community to put over a necessary and useful piece of work. May this mutuality continue.

The Volunteer Firemen.

ZION'S LUTHERAN CHURCH.

Sunday, May 8, 1938.
8:30 A. M. Sunday school and Bible class.

9:30 A. M. German divine service.

The pastor will preach a Mother's Day sermon. By all means please come and hear the pastor's message. You will enjoy it and be blessed. Do you want rest, strength, help to carry the load; something worthwhile to think about and live for? Come and join in our worship at our church and you will carry a blessing with you. You are most cordially invited to attend any and all services of the Zion's Lutheran Church. Do your best to be a regular church goer.

The Church with a welcome.
A. H. FALKENBERG,
Pastor.

MRS. EUGENIA TSCHIRHART.

Mrs. Eugenia Tschirhart (nee Beck) died at 10:00 A. M. Thursday morning, April 28, 1938. She had been in failing health for a number of years, but was able to be up and about until the evening before her death at the home of her son, Gabe Tschirhart, in Castroville. She was born at the Haby Settlement, February 8, 1860, and had attained the age of 77 years. She was happily married to Sebastian Tschirhart in 1901. They lived at Banderas number of years before they moved to Castroville where her husband died on March 18, 1930.

Surviving are three sons, namely: Linus from Hondo, Gabe and Ferdinand from Castroville; 10 grandchildren; two sisters, Mrs. Mary Bader of Castroville and Mrs. Otelia Haby of Utopia. Six step-children also survive, namely: Mrs. Titus Haby of Heroes and Mrs. Frank Bader of Durley, Ed. W. Tschirhart from Rio Medina, Sebastian Tschirhart of Pipe Creek, and Tom and Frank Tschirhart of Castroville.

The funeral took place from the home Friday morning followed by a

requiem mass at 9:30 in St. Louis Catholic Church from where she was tenderly laid to rest by the side of her husband in St. Louis Cemetery. Rev. Dean J. Lenzen officiated. Pall-bearers were all nephews of the deceased: Jo, George and Elmer Bader, Albert and Oscar Karm, and A. O. Beck.

We extend sympathy to the bereaved members of the family on their great loss.

DELEGATES RETURN FROM LUTHERAN CONVENTION.

Rev. A. H. Falkenberg and Mr. A. F. Bippert, representing Zion's Lutheran Church of Castroville, returned Sunday from the convention of the Texas District of the American Lutheran Church which met in Seguin, April 26 to May 1.

They reported that a forward-looking program was adopted. The Convention decided to pave the way for a four-year college by wiping out the entire debt of \$104,000 which rests on Texas Lutheran College. Dr. Poppen, President of the American Lutheran Church, reported progress toward Lutheran unity. In many matters the church is already cooperating with most of the four million Lutherans of the United States through the National Lutheran Council and with the eighty million Lutherans of the world through the Lutheran World Convention. Efforts are afoot to coordinate all Lutheran charities and to bring assistance to foreign missions distressed through economic conditions.

All Lutherans will join the Lutherans of Swedish ancestry in celebrating the coming of their forefathers to the shores of America 300 years ago. The central celebration will be held in Philadelphia where the archbishop and the Crown Prince of Sweden expect to attend to unveil the monument presented by their homeland.

Rev. Falkenberg served on the committee on missions and Mr. Bippert served on the committee on Christian Higher Education.

BONGERS-WURZBACH.

Miss Renata Wurzbach, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Wurzbach, and Harry Bongers, son of Mr. and Mrs. August Bongers, were united in marriage in a beautiful ceremony, Thursday, April 28, 1938, at 6:30 P. M. in Zion's Lutheran Church. Rev. A. H. Falkenberg, pastor, officiated.

The church was attractively decorated with roses, lilies and ferns. Prior to the ceremony, the bride's sister, Miss Tusnelda Wurzbach, sang "At Dawning", accompanied on the organ by Mrs. Fred Wernette who also played the nuptial music.

The bride was given in marriage by her father, and was attended by Mrs. C. C. Bippert, matron of honor, and Mrs. E. C. Huegele, Miss Erna Wurzbach, and Miss Thelma Bongers, bridesmaids. Melvin Bippert was ringbearer.

The bridegroom was attended by Arthur Bongers as best man, and Theodore Wurzbach and Herbert Wurzbach, groomsmen.

The bride wore the traditional bridal costume of white satin, lace veil and orange blossoms. She carried a bouquet of calla lilies. The bride's attendants were gowned in white sheer frocks, trimmed in blue, with which they wore blue slippers and carried bouquets of blue cornflowers.

A reception at the bride's home followed the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Bongers then left on a wedding trip to Louisiana, the bride wearing a travel suit of beige with rust accessories.

This paper joins in extending congratulations and best wishes to the newly wedded couple.

NOTICE. BOARD OF EQUALIZATION.

County Commissioner's Court of Medina County, Texas, sitting as a board of equalization.

The State of Texas—County of Medina.

I. S. A. Jungman, County Clerk and ex-office clerk of the County Commissioner's Court of Medina County, Texas, do hereby give notice that the Honorable County Commissioners' Court of Medina County, Texas, will convene and sit as a Board of Equalization, commencing on the fourth Monday in May, A. D. 1938, the same being the twenty-third day of said month, for the purpose of receiving all the assessment lists or books of the assessor of taxes of Medina County, Texas, for inspection, correction or equalization and approval.

Witness my hand and seal of the County Commissioner's Court of Medina County, Texas, this the 4th day of May, A. D. 1938.

S. A. JUNGMAN,

County Clerk and Ex-Office Clerk County Commissioner's Court of Medina County, Texas.

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NEW HOPALONG FILM CURRENT

William Boyd is appearing currently at the Colonial Theatre in the newest Hopalong Cassidy picture, "North of the Rio Grande". Cassidy and his inseparable pals undertake to clean up a frontier town controlled by a "lone wolf" bandit posing as the community's banker.

APRIL WEATHER SUMMARY UPPER HONDO.

Continued from Page 1
in his weather report for the month

A short time before this, the United States Chamber of Commerce issued report pointing out that all the essentials of recovery—men, materials and demand for goods—are present—yet recovery does not come. It does not come because of that feeling of insecurity of which Mr. Baruch and a thousand other authorities have spoken—that feeling which causes capital, industry, workers and farmers to retrench, and to hold back the spending that would create real productive jobs, new opportunities in industry, new markets for agriculture, and normal conditions in this country.

Government has reviled and fought business. Government has taxed business to death. Government has held out a constant threat of still more severe "reprisals". The political drive for government ownership of much private business is destructive of private investments.

The inevitable result is depression, and all the political promises and hot air will not fill the bread baskets. The more business is taxed and "jewed" against, the lower will drop the national income and the harder jobs will be to get. These are facts that cannot be laughed off. The longer they are ignored, the worse the depression will be.—Industrial News Review.

JOHN BROWN'S PAY CHECK.

According to an article by Frank R. Kent, current slackening of government borrowing is a deceiving phenomenon. Instead of borrowing directly from the banks or the people through the issuance of bonds, the government has now adopted a policy of spending the funds supposedly in trust with the government, by the people, under the Social Security act. In other words, THE MONEY WHICH IS TAKEN OUT OF JOHN BROWN'S WEEKLY PAY CHECK, AND WHICH THE GOVERNMENT HAS PROMISED TO SET ASIDE TO CARE FOR HIM IN OLD AGE OR WHEN HE IS UNEMPLOYED, IS PROMPTLY BEING DUMPED INTO THE PUBLIC TREASURY FOR GENERAL EXPENSES!

The public treasury has simply become a vast and seemingly bottomless grab-bag. Politicians seeking to perpetuate themselves in office gleefully ply the treasury for money, and more money—money that is spent on everything from out-houses to cash registers. For the first 44 days of the current fiscal year the government spent \$954,805,188.94; its receipts were \$675,375,562.55; deficit, \$279,429,621.39.

What will become of John Brown's hard earned savings if such a policy is continued for long? What do you think?—Industrial News Review.

TAXES MADE HIM QUIT.

"I am quitting because I am sick and tired of taxes." Those are the words of Maxwell H. Nowak of Chicago, who spent 35 years in building up a livestock feed concern with 64 warehouses in 28 states and doing an annual business of \$1,500,000.

In a statement to International News Service, Mr. Novak declared that he was obliged to pay about 50 different kinds of taxes, and that the salaries of clerks, auditors and lawyers merely to keep his tax reports straight amounted to more than \$7,000 last year.

Although the volume of business done seemed large, he said there was little profit, as the tax collectors took the major portion of what might have been a return for his investment and the worry of trying to keep going. So he decided to quit.

Every business man, big or little, can appreciate how Mr. Novak feels about all this. Not only are the taxes themselves an almost unbearable burden, but the endless book-keeping, making of reports, and satisfying all the official boards, commissions, agents and inspectors are enough to drive one crazy, even if he were fortunate enough to make a little profit.—Selected.

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THE GERM

By Clayton Rand

I talked to five men fresh from Spain, who had just seen the carnage of the bloody revolution over there. What they related was unspeakable.

I talked to an old man who had seen service in the War Between the States in which he, too, saw young men at each others throats.

The残酷 wars are those in which brother opposes brother in the manner of the beasts.

Men who encourage class consciousness today in America are their worst enemies, for in class hate lies the fatal germ of bloody revolution.

Strikes, riots, civil war—these are but stepping stones to chaos.

ASK SPAIN!

TEN ACRE BLOCK FOR SALE.

One hundred and fifty dollars cash will buy a 10-acre block of land east of the Quihi north and south road, three miles south of Highway 90. Three acres in field, seven acres in native pasture, well fenced. Could be improved into good chicken farm. Apply to owner, John E. Neuman, or either member of Hondo Land Co.

ANVIL SPARKS.

E. S. Rieber, U. S. Department of Agriculture cooperative observer,

in his weather report for the month of April remarked that in his section the April frost was the worst in years and that corn and fruit were frozen. The country, however, is in good shape, with oats headed out, and sheep shearing in full swing.

Total precipitation for April was 4.43 inches with the following days showing rainfall: April 7th, .30; 10th, .26; 14th, .04; 15th, .25; 17th, 1.41; 18th, .39; 19th, 1.23; 22nd, .05; 24th, .16; 26th, .59; and 27th, .01. The total from January 1st was 10.24 inches. Four days of the month were clear, 17 partly cloudy, and 9 cloudy—prevailing wind direction, southeast.

The minimum temperature was 26 degrees on the 10th, with a maximum of 89 on 16th.

BAPTIST CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Sunday School at 9:45 A. M.

Preaching Service at 11:00 A. M.

Training Service at 6:30 P. M.

Preaching Service at 7:30 P. M.

Missionary Society Thursday at 3:00 P. M.

Choir Practice Thursday at 7:00 P. M.

We extend a most cordial invitation to all strangers, all visitors, all friends, and all members to attend these services. Come and bring others with you. We are always glad to have everyone attend who can. Come!

—IRA V. GARRISON,
Supply Pastor.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

The undersigned having been duly appointed Administrator of the Estate of Mrs. V. H. Blocker, deceased, by the County Court of Medina County, Texas, and qualified as such on April 2nd, 1938 notice is hereby given to all persons holding claim against said estate to present the same, as provided by law, and that all persons indebted to said estate make settlement of their debts.

My place of residence at this time is Monterrey, N. L. Mexico, which is my Po. O. Address, care of American Consulate.

4t. WILLIAM P. BLOCKER.

LaCOSTE H. D. CLUB NEWS.

Members of the LaCoste H. D. club met Miss Nell Foley at the home of Mrs. A. H. Ahr with thirteen members present.

Miss Foley demonstrated "Canning Quality vegetables". She canned corn and beets.

After the meeting was over refreshments were served consisting of cake and ice cream.

The next meeting will be

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Are you a town builder?

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Society

Fire Boys To Have Benefit Street Dance

As a worthy cause and as an innovation in the annals of Hondo dances, the street dance to be held Saturday night, May 7, in Hondo should attract a large crowd of dancers and spectators. The al fresco affair, the first of its kind ever to be held in this city, is being given for the benefit of the Hondo Volunteer Fire Department, a cause which should receive the support of all public-minded as well as dance-minded citizens. The recently completed parking ground on North Front street, just north of the depot, will be the scene of the festivities.

Music will be supplied by the Gulf Oil Corporation, and a variety of tunes will be provided for the entertainment of all present.

The dance is scheduled to begin at 9 o'clock P. M. and will close—when the last dance is over. Ladies will be admitted free and a small charge of 50¢ is required of the men.

In the meantime, keep your fingers crossed and repeat the old refrain—

"Rain, rain go away,
Come again some other day!"

HIGHWAY WORK PROGRESSING.

County Judge Arthur H. Rothe and the Commissioners' Court members met Judge Robert L. Bobbitt, Chairman of the State Highway Commission, and Division Engineer F. S. Maddox, in a meeting with the citizens of Natalia Saturday night on matters pertaining to the paving of an 8.8-mile stretch of the San Antonio-Laredo road extending through Natalia. The work has been held up for some time on account of the difficulty in securing an eight-foot clearance demanded on each side of the highway by the Federal Bureau of Public Roads.

To secure this it will be necessary to move three buildings at an approximate cost of four thousand dollars. Judge Rothe and the Court, after the Saturday night conference, returned on Monday and after a further conference with local citizens in which it was definitely settled that the county could pay only \$3,000 toward this work, the citizens undertook to raise the balance by private subscription. It is thought the work will soon proceed.

Judge Rothe received assurance from Division Engineer Maddox that he is coming to Hondo next week and give the matter of widening Highway 90 through Hondo his personal attention. It is thought that Hondo will soon see work started on this improvement.

HONDO HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB MEETS.

Thirteen members of the Hondo Home Demonstration Club met in the District court room at the courthouse Tuesday afternoon, May 3rd. After the roll call, the President asked for a report from the various standing committees. Since Mrs. W. L. Taylor resigned as Vice-President, Mrs. Andrew Braden was elected to fill the vacancy. Mrs. J. B. Felts was enrolled as a new club member.

On May 10th a Pattern School will be held by Mrs. Dora Barnes, Extension Clothing Specialist. Mrs. Alfred Schweers and Mrs. Joe Meyer will attend this school.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. J. R. Black, May 16 when Miss Foley will give a canning demonstration.

HOME RELIEF ASSOCIATION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given of a called membership meeting of the Home Relief Association of Medina County, Texas, to be held at Hondo, in the District Court room, on Saturday, May 14th at 2:30 P. M., 1938. The purpose of the meeting is to consider one or more constitutional provisions, vital to the welfare of the association and such other matters as may be presented at the meeting.

By order of the Board of Directors.

H. H. CROW,
Secretary.

AT THE BAPTIST CHURCH.

We will have a Special Mothers' Day Services Sunday, with Special Music. Every one is cordially invited. Preaching services at 11:00 A. M. and at 7:45 P. M.

IRA GARRISON,
Pastor.

Long Stretch Shortens Throw



ONE OF THE best defensive players in baseball, Joe Kuhel, first baseman for the Washington Senators, shows how he makes the stretch to shorten the throw on close plays at the initial sack. The action is recorded in slow motion in "Batter Up", new official American League motion picture, so students of the game may study his remarkable form. Produced by the Fisher division of General Motors, the film is being made available without charge by the body-building organization.

HIGH SCHOOL BASEBALL TEAM TO GIVE BENEFIT MATINEE

To Raise Funds To Make Dallas Trip

Through the courtesy of the Colonial Theatre, the high school baseball team will give a benefit matinee Tuesday afternoon at four o'clock. All money derived from the picture show will go to defray the expenses of the boys who are going to Dallas to represent Hondo High School in the state baseball tournament.

The pictures to be shown are "Batter Up", a four-star baseball picture, and "The River", a 45-minute film showing the Tennessee Valley Authority's work on the Mussel Shoals project.

It is hoped that all baseball fans who can will help the boys raise enough money to place Hondo on the map in high school baseball. This year's team is the best the local high school has ever had, and ought to make an excellent showing at Dallas, where the eight best high school teams will compete on May 12, 13 and 14th.

Labeled a four-star picture by sports writers attending its eastern premiere, "Batter Up", the new official American League sound film, will be exhibited locally to more than 500 students of the Hondo Public Schools at the Colonial Theatre, in Hondo, Tuesday at 4 P. M., J. G. Barry, superintendent of the organization, announced today. A print of the picture for the special showing is being obtained from the Fisher Body division of General Motors, which produced and is distributing it in 2- and 4-reel lengths in 16 mm. and 35 mm. sizes. The longer version, which requires approximately 40 minutes for a showing, is the one selected by the Hondo High School baseball coach.

Many little known facts concerning play in the major leagues are revealed in the new film, Mr. Barry states. Among the features is a sequence in which Mickey Cochrane, manager of the Detroit Tigers, demonstrates the system employed by the catcher, as field general, to signal the pitcher, second baseman and shortstop, and the method of changing from one code to another when players of the opposing team are on base.

Frankie Frisch, manager of the St. Louis Cardinals, who attended the preview at the Waldorf-Astoria in New York, is reported to have found this exposé of more than passing interest, since the signals illustrated by Cochrane coincided with those glimpsed briefly by the National League players in the 1934 World Series.

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Connie Mack, manager of the Philadelphia Athletics, likewise makes a unique disclosure, telling in his own words how he employs his famous score card to direct the team from the bench. Recorded also is the spiking of Al Simmons, Washington outfielder, by Umpire Harry Geisel in one of last season's games. It is said to be the first time in the history of big league baseball that an accident of this sort has occurred.

Practically every department of play is touched upon in the new film, which supplants the three previous editions, "Heads-Up Baseball", "Take Me Out to the Ball Game" and "Play Ball". Roger Cramer, Boston Red Sox outfielder, demonstrates bunting as a sacrifice and for an attempted hit; Fred "Dixie" Walker, of the Tigers, the use of the hook slide; Shortstop Luke Appling and Second Baseman Jackie Hayes, of the White Sox, the double play; and Joe Kuhel, Washington, the defensive ability required of a first baseman.

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LA COSTE LEDGERTTES.

From the LaCoste Ledger.

YOUTHS SUFFER SLIGHT INJURIES WHEN ALCOHOL CONTAINER BURSTS.

It required three stitches to close a cut on the hand of Charles Reicherter and Calvin and Glen A. Hellums suffered slight burns about the face and hands late Wednesday when an alcohol can exploded in the back yard of the Hellums home. The boys were playing with the can and other containers when it was discovered that the alcohol can had a tiny hole in it. After consultation it was decided to solder the can and Charles took over the duties as master mechanic.

Then the hot iron touched the can there was a terrible explosion and fire was scattered about the premises but the damage was done to the boys themselves. Young Reicherter suffered a cut on the hand that went to the bone and required three stitches to close. The other two boys were burned about the face.

NEWLY ORGANIZED CHAMBER OF COMMERCE GETS BUSY.

The Medina Valley Chamber of Commerce started functioning in earnest with a meeting of the board of directors at the Club House in Natalia Monday night of this week. Organization was completed by the election of A. J. Gidley of Lytle, vice-president in charge of membership, and W. N. Saathoff of Castroville, vice-president in charge of entertainment. C. A. Tunnell of Lytle was named temporary secretary-treasurer.

A committee composed of E. H. Price, A. H. Danforth and J. Travis Lilly was named to propose a constitution and by-laws for the guidance of the regional chamber.

Anxious to get down to work on some real construction program it was proposed that the chamber sponsor a "Parade of Progress" featuring Medina Valley Migration for the latter part of May. Speaking to such a motion, Col. A. H. Danforth said it was an opportunity to sell Medina Valley not only to our homefolks but to San Antonio and all South Texas. Mr. Price, vice-president and general manager of the Land Company, proposed a tour of the entire project with few moments stop in all towns in order that the visitors during this celebration may see what is going on in the valley.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bourquin and children, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Peters, Mrs. Frank Marno and children, of San Antonio, and Mr. and Mrs. Guy Trafton and son and Mrs. Raymond Lindsey and children were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bush Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Zuercher and sons spent Sunday at Hondo.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Rinn from Spindletop spent Monday with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fischer and family from near Castroville were LaCoste visitors last Thursday.

Leon Iltis from San Antonio and his brother, Joseph Iltis, from Gonzales were LaCoste visitors Wednesday.

County Attorney, H. E. Haass and granddaughter from Hondo were LaCoste business visitors last Saturday.

Mrs. Frances Wurzbach has returned to Jourdanton after a long stay at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Bippert here.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Christilles and children attended the funeral of the late A. W. Noble at Fredericksburg last Friday.

Mesdames Val Mechler, Joseph Schmidt and Leo Mechler and baby of San Antonio were guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Christilles last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Iltis and family from Gonzales were visiting Mr. Iltis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Iltis, at Delta for several days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Schaeffer of Abilene visited in LaCoste over the week-end as guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Hellums. Mrs. Schaeffer is a sister of Mrs. Hellums.

L. Otto from Castroville and his nephew, John Otto, from San Jose, Mo., who is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. L. Otto at Castroville for the past month were LaCoste visitors Monday.

H. H. Trip, who has been rather ill for several weeks, was reported as slightly improved this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Biediger and sons, Francis and Thomas, and Mrs. Josephine Biediger were guests at the W. A. Luckenbach home at Seguin Sunday, and report just plenty of rain all the way, in fact too much at places.

Miss Kathleen Caufield, Mrs. Adel Koehler and daughter, Ethel Mae, and Miss Pearl Harrell attended the regional interscholastic meet in San Marcos Saturday, accompanying Miss Doris Koehler who contested in the meet in behalf of LaCoste school.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Trafton was christened Sunday in St. Mary's Church. The name given the young man was Larry Lee Mal. Sponsors were Mrs. Raymond Lindsey and Frank Peters.

Wilbur Greif of Del Rio, who is attending school at A. & M. College, visited in LaCoste Thursday and was met here by Mrs. Jack Bourland, Emmet Greif and Joseph Stool, all of Del Rio, who were guests of Mrs. Adelle Koehler and daughters Thursday night. Accompanied by Miss Doris Koehler, the Del Rio group drove to San Antonio for an evening of fiesta festivities.

Mrs. Annie Warren from Castroville was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Elmendorf and daughters in San Antonio Sunday.

See the sword swallower, the snake charmer, the Siamese twins, the fat lady, the bearded lady, and the clowns in "Circus Day", May 13.

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DEVINE NEWSLETS.

From The Devine News.

W. P. A. WORKS BUILDING AND WIDENING ROAD.

Over sixty men are working out of Devine, under Supt. Hendrix, with Robert Bushby, timekeeper, and Ernest Bowman and Evert Cochran, foremen, and Commissioner Hardcastle's fencing crew, are working out of Devine, widening county mail routes and farm to market highways. The Hondo via Zigzag road has been grubbed and large trees taken out, with caliche patches from town west, and the line north of Black Creek schoolhouse via Baptist church and Roberson's farm, paved with caliche. One of the crews is building a new road, or rather reopening the old Frio City road from the Biri-Hondo lane, back towards the Hondo and the Ina oil field. This work will go on for some time; but the men will be shifted to No. 173, it is thought, when Cage Brothers get here and begin on their \$50,000 contract. Hardcastle's crew is building fences west from town, through the fields toward Hondo.

BEGIN FENCING-GRUBBING ON HIGHWAY NO. 173.

After long and patient waiting and working, dirt was actually broken this week, by W. P. A. workers on Highway No. 173; the right-of-way is being fenced and grubbed from town to the Griffin-Bendele hill, 4.8 miles towards Hondo. Judge John H. Pranglin was reported in Big Foot Monday securing deeds for the east end between here and Kyote; and it is thought this 12 miles will be let, when the Highway Commission meets next week.

OUR SICK IN HOSPITALS.

The friends and relatives of M. E. DuBoise, who read this paper, will regret to learn that his condition is not much improved, and his physicians hold out very little hope for his recovery, though at times he revives and seems better. His family are close to the hospital at all times awaiting what ever change may take place.

Leo Bohl, Jr. who has been very low in the Santa Rosa hospital, has apparently taken a turn for the better; but is still not out of danger, Wednesday morning.

YANCEY.

Several good showers fell last week. Farmers will be glad when the sun appears again, so work in the fields can be done.

Corn and all vegetables have come out nicely after the light freeze and sand storms of the week before.

Last Tuesday morning Miss Grace Saathoff underwent an appendix operation at the Medina Hospital.

Our community sympathizes with the bereaved family of the late Mr. Jack Bilhartz, who was well known and had many friends here.

Milton Burgin and family of Raymonville were here for a short visit with us.

Rev. Fuller and Rev. Martin preached their fourth sermon at Moore and here respectively; as usual we had rain Saturday night.

Mrs. Willie Hartman of New Fountain spent last week with her sister, Mrs. Katie Muennink and family.

Mrs. Joe Huddleston and children of Benevides spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Bandy.

Mr. John McAnelly, student at A. & M. College, spent last week with homefolks, returning to his studies Monday.

Last week we were agreeably favored by a visit of Mr. Banks of Venezuela, who is visiting relatives in Houston, being a brother-in-law of Eldo McAnelly. Mr. Banks and Bill Burgin worked together for the Standard Oil Company for a number of years. He was accompanied by Mr. Wolfe and Mr. Eldo McAnelly, both of Houston. He returned to Venezuela via New York.

Miss Helen Garrison met her father at Hondo last Saturday, who spent Sunday with her; and returned to his home in Buda Sunday.

BIRY.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Bohl spent one day the past week in San Antonio with her son, Leo, who has been very sick.

Mrs. Louisa Naegelin left for her home in Seattle, Washington, after spending several months with Mrs. Albert Bilhartz.

Prof. and Mrs. Luke B. Wier spent Friday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson at Charlotte.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Oliver and baby and Mr. C. C. Godden and sister spent Saturday evening in Devine.

MANNEQUIN HAS STAR CAST.

Joan Crawford and Spencer Tracy head the cast of the M-G-M drama, "Mannequin", which is film fare for Wednesday and Thursday at the Colonial Theatre. Others in the cast are Alan Curtis, Ralph Morgan, Mary Phillips, Elizabeth Risdon, and Lee Gorcey. For the ladies "Mannequin" is a fashion forecast for 1938 as gorgeous Miss Crawford models 28 new creations by Adrian.

Zonia Taylor is a bachelor in THE THING of the year—"Circus Day", presented by the Glee Club, May 13.

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RADICAL THEORIES INTEREST MEXICAN WORKERS



INSPIRATION

— Huge portraits of Marx and Lenin frame picture of Vicente Lombardo Toledano (center). Mexican labor leader, at recent convention of Mexican labor syndicate. Toledano correctly predicted Mexican supreme court would uphold Labor Board in action leading to confiscation of American oil properties.

CONFISCATED PROPERTY

Big petroleum refinery at Tampico, Mexico, built and operated by Americans, was seized March 18 by Mexican government and American personnel driven from offices and homes. Contending seizure illegal and Mexico unable to pay, companies are seeking to recover oil fields and refineries in which millions of American dollars have been invested.

From The Owl.

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1 2 3 4 5 6 7

Things are really happening in the First Grade. A big green worm has made a yellow cradle and gone to sleep. Tadpoles are turning to frogs. They now have four legs but they are not yet frogs for they have tails. The baby bean seed has changed to leaves and roots. It is all very interesting.

Catherine Woolls and Margaret Laughinghouse went to the ranch Sunday; they went fishing. Betty Ann Garrison, Norma Kollman, Henry Holloway, Jimmy Vaughn, and Arlie Gene Brucks were in Quihi Sunday. Maybeth Barry ate dinner with Mr. and Mrs. McDowell Sunday. Mary Joyce Saathoff went to the ranch Sunday. Arthur Brucks visited his grandmother Sunday. Elna Saathoff and Lela Moore visited their aunts Sunday.

Gerald Britsch was in Bandera Sunday. Verlean Mumme went to the Verdene school Saturday. Catherine Woolls' aunt visited her Sunday. Betty Ann Garrison visited Mr. and Mrs. Burger Saturday. Sonny Woolls visited Henry Holloway Friday and Saturday. Arthur Embrey played baseball and visited Alvin Garber Sunday.

Roy Carter went to Sabinal Saturday. Gladys Bohlen and Frances Beal went to Lockhart Sunday. Don Peters went fishing Sunday and caught lots of fish. Calvin Balzen went to visit his cousin James Duderstadt spent the weekend in Mount Creek. Hal Hunter went fishing Sunday at Fort Lincoln. Darlene Brucks went to the New Fountain Sunday. Doris Stiegler went to Quihi Sunday. Joyce Mumme's grandmother visited her Sunday.

O-w-l-e-t-s

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The Old Scout goes to work again and takes in the fourth grade this week. Heading the list in future football stars is Robert Bendele. Robert is nominated for the star pigskin carrier in only a few years. Robert has been noticed around the grounds and he has the making of a great athlete. Ashbel Gilliam should also make an athlete in the way of both football and baseball. Ashbel is a hard-hitting home-run slugger in the realm of baseball. He is the star punter, passer and what-have-you in football. It is a streak of luck that Ashbel and Robert Bendele are both in the same grade as that grade will probably capture many honors with these two young stars. While scouting around last winter, Charley Martin was noticed skiing from the summit of Rucker Heights, where many an athlete has spent his early days. Charley had bad luck, though, as there was no snow on Rucker Heights

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Kelly Field...103 001 103 9 12 3
Hondo 000 033 010 7 5 3

Batteries: Kelly Field, Copeland, Frey, Bealeau and Parker; Hondo, Knox, Tondre, Holloway, Hartung, Jennings and Perez.

O-w-l-e-t-s

WORLD HISTORY CLASS GIVES PICNIC AT CASTROVILLE

The World History Class held their picnic at Castroville last Saturday, April 30. Swimming, boat riding, dancing, and baseball furnished most of the entertainment for the day.

A picnic lunch of pimento cheese and chicken sandwiches, potato chips, fritos, iced tea, and cookies was served to Frances Ellen Woolls, Mildred Van Fleet, Mildred Huesser, Bonita Speece, Zelda Schweers, Mimi Doyle Scheweers, Ruthie Bell Tomerlin, Gladys Schwarting, Lonnie Jo Walters, Darlene Wendland, Charles Finger, Harry Kollman, Walter Bendele, Lee Wesley Moehring, Russel Bentels, Lee Dell Williams, Mrs. J. M. Finger, Mrs. Clarence Van Fleet, Mrs. Wendland, and Mr. and Mrs. W. W. "Doc" Henslee. Mr. Henslee is the World History Class instructor.

MEXICAN LABOR LEADER'S PROPHECY COMES TRUE

PROPHET — Vicente Lombardo Toledano (right) attorney and secretary of the "Confederacion de Trabajadores Mexicanos," or Confederation of Mexican Workers, prophesied before the Mexican labor syndicate's convention, that the Supreme Court would confirm the award of the Mexican Labor Board assessing millions of dollars costs against American oil companies. Toledano denounced foreign capital.



TAKING OVER! — New Mexican "Board of Directors" of the former Huasteca Petroleum Co., an American firm whose property was seized by Mexican government. The group, known as "Section Fifth," and comprised of officers and members of the labor syndicate, occupies company office (above), from which

Americans have been driven, Mexico City. Left to right: Teodoro Angulo, "president"; Carlos León, "general sales manager"; Hector Lopez, "sales manager"; Alfonso Mencarini, "general manager"; Salvador Herrera, "sales manager"; and Manuel Leiva, "sales manager."

From The Owl.

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The Week-End Round-Up

SCOUTS TO SELL TICKETS FOR STREET DANCE

Last night at the Boy Scout meeting a number of the Scouts passed the final tests and became Second Class Scouts. The Scouts are selling tickets to the street dance which is to be held Saturday night. The dance will be for the benefit of the Hondo Fire Department.

O-w-l-e-t-s

Kelly Field Fliers Nose Out Owls

The Kelly Field Fliers defeated the Hondo Owls by a 9 to 7 score at College Square last Wednesday. The game was a nip and tuck battle, providing thrills in the pinches. The Fliers came from behind a 6 to 7 count to rally three runs in the ninth inning to overtake the Owls. The Owls took a little tough luck in this inning when a ground ball to short developed into a hit as the result of a bad hop, scoring two runs.

The Owls' punch started in the fifth inning when three walks and two hits produced three runs. Again in the sixth inning three walks and a hit produced three more runs to take a 6 to 5 lead over the Fliers. The last Owl run was scored in the eighth frame on a walk, a stolen base and a Flier error. The Owls attack was led by Clinton Grell and Elmer J. Leinweber.

The Flier attack was led by Griffin who got three hits in three official times at bat, one being a home-run over the right field fence with two mates aboard.

The score by innings and batters were:

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Hondo 000 033 010 7 5 3

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O-w-l-e-t-s

W.H.S. STUDENTS PRESENT ASSEMBLY PROGRAM AT DEVINE

Students of Hondo High School presented a program for the Devine High School, Friday morning, April 29. Devine will return a program Thursday at 10:15 A. M.

The program given was as follows:

1. Sextette...Betty Jean Merritt
2. Zonia Taylor, Kathleen Frances Ruth Fly, Susie Muennink....."The Way You Tonight"
3. Soprano Solo...Jimmy Barry-Eskimo" and "Little Old Lady"
4. Dance.....Susie Muennink....."Homing"
5. Tenor Solo...Leslie Earl Holloway....."In A Cottage Small A Waterfall"
6. Violin Solo...Margaret Knopp....."Old Refrain"
7. Dance.....Susie Muennink....."Cradle Song"
8. Readings.....Jimmy Ambrose
9. Piano Solo...Frances Ruth Fly....."Minute Waltz" by Chopin</

WLETS

PUBLIC SCHOOL NEWS ITEMS
FROM THE OWL.

Commencement Exercises To Be Held on Barry Field

THOUSAND EXPECTED TO ATTEND

Commencement Exercises, will be held on the campus for the first time since when they were held outside of necessity. They will be on the football field where of the lights and a public system will be installed, seating capacity of over one thousand will be provided. The exercises will begin at 8:00 P. M.

Hondo To Participate In Seguin Music Meet

Annual Style Revue To Be Staged May 9

Members of the Homemaking Classes I and II are presenting their annual musical style revue next Monday night, May 9, at 8:00 P. M. in the High School Auditorium. This style show will be held in connection with the final P-T. A. meeting of this school term.

Girls taking Homemaking I will model school dresses while the II year girls will model tailored dresses, adapted to general wear. These dresses were constructed both as class and home projects.

The musical program for the Style Revue which will be under the direction of Mrs. C. D. Sadler, Choral Club Director, will consist of the following numbers:

Mrs. T. C. Barnes
Mrs. Tom Holloway
Mrs. O. L. Cory
Mr. Hugo A. Schrevers
Dr. O. B. Taylor
Mrs. S. S. Moore
Mrs. H. V. Haass
Mrs. Leslie Holloway
Miss Lucille Woolls
Mr. W. T. Crow
Mrs. Isabel Garber
Mrs. Bill Windrow
Mrs. Emmett Nester
Mrs. Robert Kollman
Mr. Henry Windrow
Mr. Bennie Bradley
Mrs. Eunice Connell
Mrs. Emmett Kollman

Miss Anne Davis
Mrs. Otis Schuehle
Mrs. Horace Crow
Miss Elta Leinweber
Miss Jonelle Rothe
Miss Frances Finger
Mrs. Frank Schrevers
Mrs. Jack Drotcourt
Miss Bernice Speece
Mrs. John H. Meyer
Miss Mary Kate Huesser
Roy Bohlen
Miss Gwen Gray

Officers for the forthcoming school term of '38 and '39 were elected at a meeting of the Hondo Sports Association last Wednesday afternoon in the High School Auditorium.

The following persons, who will represent the Senior, Junior, and Sophomore Classes, respectively, were elected to offices: Susie Muennink, President; Bonita Speece, Vice President; and Jean Warden, Secretary and Treasurer.

New members who have joined the Association are: Fay Iris Carter and Jean Warden.

Members present at the meeting were: Susie Muennink, Sis Meyer, Evelyn Ruth Dawson, Jo Dawson, Bonita Speece, Mildred Huesser, Mimie Doyle Schrevers, Elizabeth Reynolds, Dolly Taylor, Nora Ann Bendele, Mary Ann Noonan, LaVern Ulrich, and Bonnie Jack Cameron. The Club sponsors, Miss Ellabelle Radford and Mrs. R. J. Noonan, also attended the meeting.

Members of the Girls' Choral Club going to Seguin are: Anna Laura Renken, Bonnie Jack Cameron, Adel Pichot, LaVern Ulrich, Mildred Martin, Mary Frances Van Fleet, Wanda Redmond, Eva Earnest, Betty Jean Merriman, Margaret Ann Knopp, Evelyn Ruth Dawson, Susie Muennink, Panalee Thompson, Fay Iris Carter, Kathleen Reilly, Jo Nell Gainer, Frances Ruth Fly, Judy Lacy, Mary Louise Haegelin, Mary Ann Noonan, Norma Jane Bless, Ima Jean Crow, Nora Ann Bendele, Jerome Haegelin, Mildred Van Fleet, Eugenia Riff, Novell Lambert, Mary Elizabeth Meyer, Roselyn Weber, Jo Dawson, Elizabeth Reynolds, Frances Wools, Evelyn Haegelin, Bonita Speece, Patricia Ney, Eloise Kollman, Dorothy Renken, Georgia Mae Muennink, Wanda Dawson, Juanita Dawson, Zonia Taylor, and Betty Thurman.

The twelve boys entering the Meet in the mixed Glee Club are: Burleigh Smith, Milton Bohmfalk, Roland Nester, J. H. Jennings, Charles Finger, Glen Pope, Leslie Earl Holloway, Harry Kollman, Elmer Jo Leinweber, George and Monroe Rucker, and Roland Gaines.

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The chaperons who attended this Junior-Senior picnic were: Mrs. R. W. Gaines, Mrs. T. B. Knopp, Mrs. E. G. Pope, Mrs. H. E. Merriman, Mrs. N. C. Johnson, Mr. M. L. McDowell, and Mr. Shuford McDonald, Junior class sponsor. Mr. M. L. McDowell went instead of Miss Jacqueline Adams, Senior class sponsor. Miss Adams was unable to attend.

FARM PRODUCT WILL BE TICKET OF ADMISSION TO JUNIOR-SENIOR BARN DANCE

Bingham dresses and overalls will sway next Saturday night at Fair Park Hay Barn when the Class of Hondo High School will be entertained by the Juniors with a barn dance.

"Tootin-tootin' program" will give throughout the evening by various members of the two classes and the faculty. For admission, each person will be required to bring one product. In case the "ticket" admission is edible, refreshments will be served from "the ol' wishin' tree."

The old hay barn will be "spiffed up" to beat the band" in regular "hay fashion. The hosts (Juniors) are expecting approximately fifty guests for the Baccalaureate Sermon as yet indefinite except for the fact that the services will be held at evening hour.

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FINAL EXAMINATION SCHEDULE

| SENIOR EXAMS | May 17 & 18 |
|-----------------|---------------------------|
| Tuesday a. m. | English IV |
| p. m. | Texas History & V. A. III |
| Wednesday a. m. | Journalism |
| p. m. | Com. Law & Spanish II |
| REGULAR EXAMS | |
| Thursday a. m. | English |
| p. m. | Mathematics |
| Friday a. m. | Jr. Bus. & Span. I |
| 10:30 | Typing |
| p. m. | H. E. & V. A. |
| Monday a. m. | History |
| p. m. | Science |
| Monday, May 9th | Phys. Ed. (Girls) |

CHORAL CLUB TO PRESENT OPERETTA ON MAY 13TH

All Members To Take Part In The Circus Presentation

Hondo High School Choral Club will present "Circus Day" on Friday, May 13, in the high school auditorium. Before the operetta, and between the acts, popcorn, candy, peanuts, and "pink" lemonade will be sold in the auditorium.

The cast of characters for "Circus Day" is as follows:

Jim, a high school boy—Ruth McWilliams

Jane, a high school girl—Kathleen Reilly

Billy, Jane's brother—Ada Bell Carter

Mary Louise, Billy's "girl"—Betty Jean Merriman

Uncle Joe, Jim's uncle—Zonia Taylor

Aunt Flo, Jane's aunt—the village school mistress—Frances Ruth Fly

Mr. Smith, Jane's father—Fay Iris Carter

Mrs. Smith, Jane's mother—Panalee Thompson

Other members of the Choral Club who have been given roles are:

Ring Master—Anna Laura Renken

Sword Man—Judy Lacy

Snake Charmer—Jean Warden

Siamese Twins—Juanita and Wanda Dawson

Pop Corn and Peanut Girl—Wanda Redmond

Balloon Girl—Bonita Speece

Hoboes—Mary Ann Noonan, Sis Meyer

Bearded Lady—Dolly Taylor

Fat Lady—Helen Burgin

Lemonade Girl—Mildred Van Fleet

Clowns—Susie Muennink, Eloise Kollman, and Jo Dawson

Midgets (members of the Grammar Grades)—Robert Carle, Kathryn Brucks, Jimmy Barry, and Wilma Breiten

The members of the chorus who will play the parts of boys in "Circus Day" are: Evelyn Ruth Dawson, Eva Ernest, Mary Louise Haegelin, Bonnie Jack Cameron, Adel Pichot, Georgia Mae Muennink, Betty Thurman, Novell Lambert, Nora Ann Bendele, Mildred Martin, Lorine Koch, and Eugenia Riff.

"Girls" in the operetta are: Norma Jane Bless, Frances Woolls, Patricia Ney, Jerline Haegelin, LaVern Ulrich, Jo Nell Gaines, Roselyn Weber, Ima Jean Crow, Margaret Ann Knopp, Dorothy Renken, Mary Frances Van Fleet, and Evelyn Haegelin.

The following will be the Directing Staff for "Circus Day":

Stage Managers—Anna Laura Renken, Judy Lacy, and Wanda Redmond

Assistant Director, and Advertising Manager—Elizabeth Reynolds

Make-Up Manager—Miss Ellabelle Radford

Lighting and Curtain Manager—James Gray

Program Committee—Wanda and Juanita Dawson, and Mary Ann Noonan

Costume Advisors—Misses Dorothy Howard and Jacqueline Adams

The Ushers are: Susie Muennink, Jo Dawson, and Eloise Kollman

Sales girls are: Wanda Redmond, Bonita Speece, and Mildred Van Fleet

O-w-l-e-t-s

OWLS' ROSTER AND BATTING AVERAGES

This is the Hondo Owls present roster and each individual's batting average. These averages include all games through the Austin High game:

Player AB. H. B.A.

M. Knox 66 23 .348

R. D. Windrow 38 13 .342

J. Perez 60 20 .333

M. Rucker 64 18 .281

E. J. Leinweber 37 10 .270

E. Finger 57 15 .263

H. Schuehle 38 10 .263

C. Grell 59 14 .237

J. H. Jennings 40 9 .225

H. Huesser 37 8 .216

L. E. Holloway 10 2 .200

D. Williams 26 4 .154

B. Rothe 53 8 .151

C. Hartung 14 2 .143

J. Tondre 11 0 .000

E. Muennink 0 0 .000

banquet which is not definitely set as yet. Plans were also started for the banquet.

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Football Boys Get First Feel of Pigskin Thursday

Hondo High's football squad will get some good practice on the gridiron hard and will appreciate your attendance Thursday afternoon at 3:45. All these boys have been working officially named The Coon Ridge Hustlers and The Skunk Hollow Rustlers. Here is the starting lineup:

| Position | Skunk Hollow |
|----------|--------------------|
| LE. | Lee Dell Williams |
| LT. | Fred Bader (capt.) |
| LG. | Elmo Pope |
| C. | Tenille Duderstadt |
| RG. | Raoul Barriente |
| RT. | Meyer Morris |
| RE. | James Weymand |
| QB. | Tom Danie |
| LH. | Frank Garcia |
| RH. | Bill Ney |
| FB. | Joe Embrey |

Hondo Owls Whitewash The Austin Maroons

The Hondo Owls defeated the Austin Maroons by a 21 to 1 score in the third inning on an Owl error, a walk, a hit and an infield out. Half led the Austin attack, getting two of the three hits and scoring their only run.

The Box Scores and runs by innings:

| Hondo | AB. | R. | H. | E. |
|-------------|-----|----|----|----|
| Knox, ss | 5 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Grell, 3b</ | | | | |

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

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ITALIAN BALM WITH THE DISPENSER AT FLY DRUG CO.

Hon. Joe Briscoe of Devine was in Hondo Thursday on legal business at the courthouse.

COOL WASH DRESSES FOR SUMMER WEAR. HOLLIGE'S DRESS SHOP.

GIVE HER A PAIR OF KAYSER HOSE FOR MOTHER'S DAY. HOLLIGE'S DRESS SHOP.

Mr. Monroe L. Taylor of Poteet had his tonsils removed at the Medina Hospital on May 2nd.

LADIES' AID MEETS.

Mrs. George Karm was hostess to the Ladies' Aid Society of St. Paul's Lutheran Church, when it met in regular session Wednesday afternoon, May 4th. The meeting was opened by a reading of Mark, chapter 9, on the Transfiguration by Rev. Paul Czerkus. In the business transactions it was decided to have a chicken fry in July and a bazaar and hobby show sometime in September. Mrs. Paul Czerkus and Mrs. Alfred Breiten were appointed to serve on the flower committee.

Refreshments of chicken sandwiches, cake and coffee were served to the following: Rev. and Mrs. Paul Czerkus, Mesdames August Schroeder, F. R. Grube, Charlotte Miller, Wm. Mussman, Ernest Wolff, Chas. Haass, Arnold Mussman, George Bendele, Amanda Muennink, Emmet Nester, L. A. Mechler, H. E. Haass, Ben Oefinger, L. F. Grube, Alfred Breiten, Ben de Groot, Wesley de Groot, and Misses Alice Muennink, Mary Lina Karm and Alma Karm.

Miss Peggy Saathoff, daughter of Henry H. Saathoff, who has been attending the Nixon-Clay Business College of Austin, is at her home recovering from injuries which she sustained in a serious automobile accident, which occurred on April 24 near Georgetown. She plans to continue with her studies after about six weeks of medical attention and rest.

MATT DUBOSE DEAD.

DEVINE, Tex., April 30.—Matt Dubose, 42, general manager of the Medina Valley Water District, and former mayor of Devine, died Saturday morning in a San Antonio hospital after a month's illness of heart disease.

He served as mayor here six years, during which time a continued program of development, including a permanent water supply, was carried out. Taking up the work of the water district, which includes the lands in the vicinity of Devine, Natalia, and Lytle, he was chiefly instrumental in obtaining reduction of the district's bonds from \$2,250,000 to \$750,000. During his administration 275 new families, many coming from dust bowl sections of Texas, have been settled on the irrigated lands.

He was a son of W. L. DuBose, editor of the Devine News, and had spent his life here. He leaves a widow, Mrs. Ruby K. DuBose; two daughters, Mrs. Sid Malone and Charlie Marie DuBose; three brothers, V. P., C. P. DuBose of Devine and M. L. DuBose of Cotulla, and two sisters, Mrs. V. C. Brown of Pearsall and Mrs. A. U. Bowen of San Antonio. He was a member of the Blue Lodge of Masons. The funeral was held at 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon from the Devine Baptist Church.

THE LADIES OF THE METHODIST CHURCH ARE GIVING A DINNER IN THE BUILDING FORMERLY OCCUPIED BY OASIS CAFE ON TUESDAY, MAY 10. CHARGES 35c AND 25c.

F. F. Mumme was a caller at this office Wednesday and ordered the paper sent to his son-in-law, Milton Oefinger, at Houston. Mr. Oefinger recently moved to Houston from San Antonio where he previously resided.

FOR RE-SALE: Piano. Medium size, standard make. Customer near Hondo unable to finish payments. Will sell for just the \$48 against it rather than return to San Antonio. Payments will be small. For location, write CRITCHETT PIANO CO., 1907 W. Woodlawn, San Antonio, Texas.

Mrs. Sadie Hutzler arrived the first of the week from Houston, where she has been the guest of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Batot, and little granddaughter, Barbara Anne Batot. After spending several days with Judge and Mrs. Ed de Montel, Mrs. Hutzler plans to join her sister, Mrs. McElroy, for visit in north Texas, after which she will return to her home in Washington, D. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bradley and little son, Peyton, were here from San Antonio Sunday visiting relatives. While here Jack went fishing and caught some nice fish out of the Hondo.

The Keno party, for benefit of St. John's parish, has been postponed from Sunday, May 8, to Sunday, May 15, at 7:30 P. M. See announcement elsewhere in this paper.

Buddy Davis went to Houston Tuesday, and was accompanied back by his sister, Charlotte Tomlin, for a visit with relatives here.

Miss Hettie Nester left several days ago for El Campo where she will be employed in secretarial work for a motor company.

WINDROWS orders flowers.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Koch and daughter, Elizabeth Ann, and Mrs. R. C. Wolff and son of San Antonio visited Mrs. Alvina Koch and Mr. and Mrs. Eugen Huesser and family Sunday.

Consult the advertisements in this paper, then remember that no town is ever built up by trade that goes elsewhere, and patronize those who show their loyalty to their town by being loyal to its enterprises.

Try your home man first when you are in the market for anything. It is your home man who helps build up your home town and home community and money spent with him helps all. No town was ever built up by trade that goes somewhere else.

Dropping in at the Joe Wilson chicken "factory" Wednesday—where he takes thousands of hen eggs and by putting them through an extensive electrical heating process transmogrifies them into so many fluffy, cheeping chicks—we found him busy getting ready to close down for the season on the 15th. Mr. Wilson has enjoyed a good business this season but says the approach of summer always slows down the hatchery business. He plans to operate again this fall if conditions warrant.

All the right, title and interest in the property of Joe Cunningham, in and to all oil and gas leases executed by Emil J. Schuehle as Sheriff of Medina County, Texas, did, on the 26th day of April, 1938, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Medina County, Texas, described as follows, to wit:

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QUIHI NOTES.

And it shall come to pass when thou shalt have the dominion, that thou shalt break his yoke from off thy neck. Gen. 27:40.

It's the tail end of the blessing given by Isaac to his son, Esau; the silver lining around a dark cloud of disappointment. Jacob got the lion's share on a sly trick, yet not against God's intention. The trick was superfluous, foolish and unjust. God would have had other means to bring it about. But such is man, time and again, interfering with God's plan by forceful and dishonest self-help. The slam and the slur remain and leave a bitter taste in the mouth forever. "Let people serve thee, nations bow down to thee, be lord over thy brethren," that was spoken to Jacob. Esau would fight the issue. "By thy sword shalt thou live". That was Esau's course. And so it came; and so it still stands. The descendants of Esau became a powerful tribe; they were well organized while Israel slaved in Egypt; they barred the entrance into Canaan when the released slaves appeared at the boundary; they had kings and powerful armies before the descendants of Jacob, the Israelites, ever thought of it. Saul and David held them in check, but the Edomites, so the descendants of Esau were called, aligned their policies with those of other nations. The Chaldeans became their rough and ready confederates. It was then that the yoke was broken off the neck of Esau. The Israelites were taken into captivity while the Edomites possessed the land. Still, the Lord does not break His promises. After the return from captivity, the feud and friction went on. Under the Maccabees, the Edomites were fully subjugated and forced to adopt Jewish rites and ceremonies. The final chapter seemed near. But again they pressed forward with the sword and political skill. At the birth of Christ, Herod the Great was king, an Edomite. He committed the murder of the Jewish babes at Bethlehem; he fought the newborn king of the Jews. That seemed to spell the doom for military force and political intrigue. During the siege of Jerusalem about 20,000 Idumeans or Edomites are listed by Josephus as helping in the defense against the Romans. After that they disappear as a tribal unit. Their very name is submerged. They are amalgamated with the Beduins, the Arabs of today, and we have reason to assume that the venom in the hatred of Arab against the Jew in the British mandate of Palestine is of Edomite origin and texture, a continuation of the old prediction, "By thy sword shalt thou live". Almost daily we read of their bloody clashes. The outcome? "Let people serve thee, let nations bow down to thee"—to Jacob, not to Esau. And the Israelites, the Jews, have not forgotten the prediction. Repeatedly they have tried to carry it out politically, in times of national turbulence and agitation, of chaos and anarchy. Then their organization seeps to the surface; then it becomes a mighty stream. Quoting from records before me, we find two Jews delegated to the Peace Conference at Versailles, accompanied by twelve Jewish advisors. During the revolution in Germany, the Soldiers' and Workmen's Committee was directed by a Jew with thirteen of his tribe for assistants. Five members of the new Cabinet, the new regime, were again Israelites, and so were their helpers. In Prussia the whole new Cabinet was manned by Jews in all nine departments. Names are available. For a while they wallowed in power and glory. We know the reaction; a failure. Another attempt for power was made in Russia. Our records cover the years 1919-20, and reveal the Jewish control there with no department less than 76 per cent Jews; many departments above 90 per cent; those of Social Assistance, delegates to Bolshevik Red Cross and Journalists manned a 100 per cent with Jews. They made history, bloody history, demoralizing history. Their followers, with increased Jewish percentages, are still on the job for communism everywhere. Will they win? Was the blessing of Isaac meant in that sense?

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quest that he is still confined to his
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make the effort very often.

People in Hondo and vicinity wish
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do so in amounts up to but not
exceeding \$2,500.00. See the Alamo
Bank Company's announcement on
the last page and confer with Mr.
Schuehle for further particulars.

Mrs. J. M. Finger and daughters,

Misses Frances and Rose Marie Fin-

er, and Mr. and Mrs. Volney Bonn

children were in San Antonio

last night where they attended

the spring festival held at Incarnate

Word College. Their daughter and

son, Miss Mary Emma Finger,

joined over the festival as Queen

of the Court of Muses. They

put on a very beautiful spectacle.

The Oasis Cafe has moved one

block east of its former location and

settled in the old postoffice building.

The building has been renovated

so as to give more convenience

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In hereby announcing my candidacy for re-election to the office of District Attorney of the 38th Judicial District, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries, I take the opportunity of thanking the voters for your confidence and support in the past and pledge my best efforts to serve you efficiently in the future. Your vote and support are earnestly solicited.

RALPH J. NOONAN.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE.

We are authorized to announce HON. JOE MONKHOUSE as a candidate for re-election to the office of Representative of the 77th Legislative District of Texas, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries in July.

FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY.

We are authorized to announce FRANK X. VANCE as a candidate for the office of County Attorney of Medina County, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries in July.

Thanking the voters of Medina County for past favors and their kind support. I again announce as a candidate for the office of County Attorney of Medina County at the next general election in November, 1938, and will appreciate your consideration. If re-elected I will continue to serve to the best of my knowledge, experience and ability.

Respectfully,

H. E. HAASS.

FOR SHERIFF.

We are authorized to announce E. L. BROD as a candidate for Sheriff of Medina County at the November election.

FOR PUBLIC WEIGHER PRECINCT NO. 1.

We are authorized to announce PAUL R. RICHTER as a candidate for the office of Public Weigher of Precinct No. 1, at the November election.

diluted extracts. No reporter could do full justice to the event. We shall try to enlarge on a few essential and important sections next Sunday during the League program. These matters concern you from various angles. Make it a point and come. You'll enjoy the evening.

The absence left our pockets empty for news. In passing we hear that Theo. Reitzer was down for a few days and that Mrs. Herbert Brucks is still down and various others had a touch of this and that. A glorious spring—but a few snakes in the grass, various ailments. And last night we had another scare when the hail pelted the roof. Some learn to pray in those anxious moments. More hail needed for that lesson?

Announcements for Sunday the 8th: It's Mother's Day. Come and thank the Lord for her. She deserves it, and so does the Lord, indeed. English service at 10:30; Sunday School and Bible classes at 9:30; German service at New Fountain at 2; Luther League program at 7:30 P. M. Come with rejoicing.

Mr. Albert Newman of Lytle spent yesterday with his daughter, Mrs. Roy Pfeil. He expects Mrs. Newman home from her Louisiana trip Saturday.

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METHODIST NOTES.

Special Mother's Day Services Sunday with sermon and special music in the morning at 10 o'clock and a play pageant in the evening at 8 o'clock. The sermon subject Sunday morning will be "The Mother of Zebedee's Children".

We are rejoicing this week in the news coming from Birmingham where our General Conference is in session. By a vote of 434 to 26 the conference voted for Unification of our church the M. E. Church South, with the Methodist Episcopal Church and the Methodist Protestant Church. The new church will be known as The Methodist Church. A little handful of Southerners still fighting the civil war threaten secession. Judging though from recent court decisions they will have little chance to retain either the title Methodist Episcopal Church, South or any of the property. They may of course start a new church. As the leading minister of the Congregational Church said recently, unification seems to be in the air.

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Mrs. W. H. Smith spent several days this week in Temple where she underwent observation for an eye ailment.

Miss Minnie Gray left Monday for her home in Lytle after spending two weeks here with her sister, Mrs. A. C. Thallman.

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HONDO, TEXAS, MAY 6, 1938

WASHINGTON SNAPSHOTS.

By James Preston.

The opinions here expressed are Mr. Preston's own and not necessarily those of this paper.—M. E.

The opposing camps on Capitol Hill are in battle formation again. In the House the wage-hour bill is the issue. In the Senate the new spending spree plan is the center of the conflict.

But those are only the major engagements. On other fronts the war still goes on.

In brief, there is not a single legislative proposal in the Capital City this week that is not an issue for a fight between those seeking to create some degree of public confidence and those who stick to the disapproved theory that continued regulation and deficit spending is the only depression antidote.

—WS—

In the category of "minor" issues are such bills as the Wagner bill in the Senate and the Healey bill in the House to force persons borrowing from the government or selling to the government to comply with the National Labor Relations Act.

Supporting the congressional coalition in opposing these bills is the U. S. Navy. The Navy Department says it is already hampered in its dealings with private firms by nine regulatory Federal statutes. The Comptroller General's office, too, doesn't want either bill passed because it would add to administrative expenses in Washington and increase costs of materials that must be purchased by the government—and by the public, too.

—WS—

In the wage-hour and spending program fights, political strategy—pressure, patronage and promises—has already become evident as a tool to pry opponents out of the coalition camp. However, observers believe the opponents have been materially strengthened by their victories in the Supreme Court and Reorganization Bill fights and by the wide support given them by the public (by telegrams and letters) in both frays.

—WS—

Incidentally, as the advocates of more spending launched their campaign, the Treasury department's regular report showed the government had spent \$6,036,446,894 during the nine and a half months of the current fiscal year—just \$1,087,644,283 more than was taken in during the same period. The report also announced that the I. O. U.'s in the public purse now total \$37,563,358,287, or nearly three billion more than at the same time last year.

—WS—

The special Senate committee studying unemployment and relief made a startling discovery during its recent investigation, and a great many persons are looking in the direction of WPA headquarters with arched brows. The committee, among many other things, reports that it found 36 per cent of the WPA relief workers in five cities occupying other positions and drawing Federal relief money at the same time!

—WS—

Remember a few months back when several C. I. O. officials had some ungentlemanly things to say about the Daughters of the American Revolution? Well, the Daughters have had their inning, and although the C. I. O. was not named, Capitol spectators didn't even bother to ask who was meant by the D. A. R. blast at "subversive forces" at work in America.

Mrs. Vinton Earl Sisson, aggressive chairman of the D. A. R.'s Committee for National Defense Through Patriotic Education, told her fellow-women of the D. A. R. congress in Washington that these "subversive influences have penetrated even into the agencies of the government" and then went on to say:

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"NOBODY'S BUSINESS."

By Julian Capers, Jr.

The opinions here expressed are the author's own and not necessarily those of the Herald.—M. E.

Austin, May 2.—The political pinwheel, set off by the Governor's race, whirled merrily on in Texas, and the week-end found these newsworthy developments: Meetings of Ferguson supporters, demanding full payment of \$15 pensions to everybody in Texas over 65, regardless of need, carefully staged in San Antonio and Dallas, had caused several hundred letters and telegrams to be sent "Ma," seeking to draft her, but spokesman Jim repeated she "is not a candidate." Best guessers here believed the build-up was to place Jim in position to throw his support advantageously to some other candidate, and did not think the Ferguson's would switch their decision not to enter "Ma" . . . Gov. Allred told reporters he wouldn't get in, even if the Fergusons did, and said he would be enjoying Gulf breezes at Galveston during the summer while other candidates were perspiring and laboring each other . . . Tom Hunter had not yet produced his promised platform . . . Karl Crowley, the Washington candidate, is NOT being supported by the national Democratic party organization in his race for Governor of Texas, according to a telegram which Bob Barker, secretary of the Senate, sent Jim Farley, asking the direct question, which Farley promptly answered in the negative . . . Bill McCraw resumed campaigning with talks in Northeast Texas . . . Ernest Thompson was out of the State to attend an interstate oil compact commission meeting at Wichita, Kansas . . . Welly Hopkins, former Senator on Gonzales, and lately a special assistant U. S. Attorney General in Washington, resigned to accept appointment as first assistant attorney general, under Bill McCraw, succeeding Scott Gaines, who becomes Texas University's legal representative.

All Incumbents Opposed.

Every State official seeking reelection, with the possible exception of some of the higher court judges, will have opposition, according to announcements which may, or may not be backed up with filing fees, when the time comes to put up the money.

Judge Harry Graves of Court of Criminal Appeals, whose eligibility has been questioned in a lawsuit dismissed by the court, filed for re-election, and will be opposed by C. A. Pippen, of Dallas, a veteran former judge of the Criminal District Bench there . . . Gerald C. Mann, former Secretary of State, opened his campaign for Attorney General before a generous crowd at his birthplace, Sulphur Springs . . . Mann is generally believed by observers here to be the best bet for a runoff in this race against Lt. Gov. Walter Wood, whose campaign, reports here indicate, has been going so well that many doubt a runoff will be necessary . . . Pascom Giles opposing Land Commissioner Bill McDonald for re-election, swung into active campaign and organization work, indicating he will vigorously make an issue of McDonald's conduct of the Land Office during the past two years . . . Coke Stevenson, twice speaker, and candidate for Lt. Governor, is conducting a unique handshaking campaign, making few speeches, but visiting many hundreds of voters while Sen. G. H. Nelson, his chief opponent, is vigorously advocating a unicameral legislature as an issue.

Famous Editor Visitor

Texas was honored at the weekend by the visit of Barry Paris, editor-in-chief of International News Service, whose job in New York is to keep his finger on the pulse of imminent news events in a hundred nations of the world, and direct a staff of several hundred foreign and domestic correspondents. "News services of the world have been working on a war-time basis for five years, since Hitler invaded the Ruhr basin, and tore up the Versailles treaty," he said. "Hourly, we have been expecting the match that would set off the tinder-box of another world war. It will come whenever the democracies of the world are ready to demand a showdown with the dictators, and it is inevitable." Paris flew from New York to Dallas to address Southwestern members of Sigma Delta Chi, professional journalism fraternity and to renew old acquaintances with Texas newsmen. He got some of his early training in this State.

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SAN ANTONIO LIVESTOCK MARKET.

Monday, May 2, 1938.
(Federal-State Market News Serv.)
Hogs, receipts 400. Market generally active but prices were steady to 15c lower than last week's close. The top dropped to \$7.35, the lowest since early 1935, for most good to choice 175 to 250-lb. butchers. Good to choice 160 to 175-lbs. mostly \$7.25 to \$7.35, 140 to 160-lbs. mostly \$7.00 to \$7.25, 250 to 300-lbs. \$7.00 to \$7.35. Packing sows mostly \$6.00 to \$6.50. Pigs steady at \$6.25 to \$7.00.

Cattle, receipts 800, calves 1,200. Indications that supplies for day will exceed early estimates. Most all slaughter cattle and calves dull except few good calves and yearlings. Stockers active, strong to 25c higher than last week's close. Some good yearlings steady, most other classes weak to 25c lower with many sales, especially on cows as much as 50c off.

Medium grass steers \$6.50 down. Few truck lots of good yearlings, including 658-lbs. \$7.50, odd head to \$8.00. Most other plain and medium kinds \$5.00 to \$7.00, some below. Good calves mostly \$7.00 to \$7.25, few \$7.50, odd head to \$8.00. Plain and medium kinds \$4.75 to \$6.75, culs down around \$4.00. Low cutters and cutters \$3.00 to \$4.25, including a load of \$4.00 with 6 head out at \$2.50. Plain and medium cows sold mostly at \$4.50 to \$4.75, load of good cows \$5.30, odd head to \$5.35. Bulls mostly \$5.25 down, odd head \$5.40. Stocker calves and yearlings mostly \$6.00 to \$7.00, few sales to \$7.25 for light weight steer calves. A string of medium 706-lbs. stocker steers \$6.00, 10 head out at \$5.50. Many lots of plain cattle and calves unsold late.

Sheep, receipts none; goats, none. Few lots of shorn wethers steady at \$3.00 to \$3.25.

Smoke Cost High
Texans smoked \$35,551,644 worth of cigarettes, or about \$6 worth per capita during the last year, according to estimates of the state treasurer, based on taxes collected. They also drank 20,911,026 cases of beer and nearly 4,000,000 gallons of hard liquor, and paid in State stamp taxes a total of \$6,635,334 during the year, the estimates showed.

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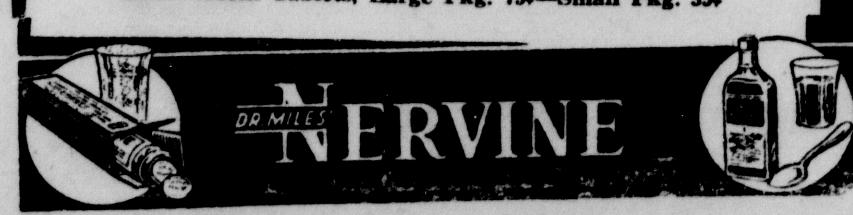
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Refreshments consisted of sandwiches, cake, cookies, and ice tea.

—Reporter.

Kinney County Herald.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bailey of Hondo were visitors here Tuesday.

Mrs. Emma Leinweber of Hondo, Grand Deputy Matron of Eastern Star Order of Texas, was a visitor here Tuesday and Wednesday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schafer.

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DORIS TONDRE, LOCAL REPRESENTATIVE

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CASTROVILLE, TEXAS, TUESDAY, MAY 3, 1938

FOR YOUR 1938 HUDSON AND TERRAPLANE SEE JOE A. BADER FOR A DEMONSTRATION.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Mechler and daughter, Irene, of Hondo were visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Louis Mehr and family Sunday.

Joe Tschirhart, Sr., and Elton Tondre were visiting with Albert Tscheirhart one day the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Zuercher from Uvalde and Mr. and Mrs. Clark Tondre and baby were visiting with Mrs. A. H. Tondre and son.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Oerter of the Alamo City were Castroville visitors Sunday.

Mrs. August Schuehle and daughters were visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Hilmer Mangold and sons.

Mrs. A. H. Tondre and Mrs. P. J. Zuercher were San Antonio visitors one day the past week.

Louis Burell spent the afternoon visiting with Joe Tscheirhart, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wallace and Miss Rosa Halbardier were guests of relatives Sunday.

Mary Groff and Mrs. Julius Groff and children were visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Haller and daughter Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Pope and daughter, LaVerne, and Mr. and Mrs. Mac Murry and sister, Ethel, were visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Emil Birr and daughter Sunday.

Mrs. Alfred Bourquin and daughter, Betty Jean, were visiting with Mrs. Paul Tondre and family and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tondre.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wernette from Seguin and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Wernette of Gonzales were visiting with Mrs. Louise Hutzler.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Heinen were visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tondre Saturday.

Charles Adams of Smithsonville spent the week-end at Castroville.

Mrs. Paul Tondre and son, Harvey, and daughter, Gladys, were Hondo visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Neuman and daughter were visiting at Macdona, Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. P. J. Zuercher of Uvalde is visiting with Mrs. A. H. Tondre and brother, Elton, and Grandpa Tscheirhart.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tondre and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Belzung were visiting with Mrs. Eugene Belzung in San Antonio. Mrs. Belzung has been ill for some time.

The Firemen's Ball and Box Supper at Wernette's Garden Sunday night was very successful for the first drive to finance fire fighting equipment. Tickets to the affair were sold all over the country before hand, thus bringing a large crowd to the ball to enjoy the music of the Twilight Blenders. The firemen are very grateful for the generous donations, for the fine and artistic boxes, for the cooperation of the young ladies who volunteered to sell tickets and did so successfully. The firemen feel that they are working in cooperation of the community to put over a necessary and useful piece of work. May this mutualty continue.

The Volunteer Firemen.

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Sunday, May 8, 1938.
8:30 A. M. Sunday school and Bible class.

9:30 A. M. German divine service. The pastor will preach a Mother's Day sermon. By all means please come and hear the pastor's message. You will enjoy it and be blessed. Do you want rest, strength, help to carry the load; something worthwhile to think about and live for? Come and join in our worship at our church and you will carry a blessing with you. You are most cordially invited to attend any and all services of the Zion's Lutheran Church. Do your best to be a regular church goer.

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MRS. EUGENIA TSCHIRHART.

Mrs. Eugenia Tscheirhart (nee Beck) died at 10:00 A. M. Thursday morning, April 28, 1938. She had been in failing health for a number of years, but was able to be up and about until the evening before her death at the home of her son, Gabe Tscheirhart, in Castroville. She was born at the Haby Settlement, February 8, 1860, and had attained the age of 77 years. She was happily married to Sebastian Tscheirhart in 1901. They lived at Bandera a number of years before they moved to Castroville where her husband died on March 18, 1930.

Surviving are three sons, namely: Linus from Hondo, Gabe and Ferdinand from Castroville; 10 grandchildren; two sisters, Mrs. Mary Bader of Castroville and Mrs. Otelia Haby of Utopia. Six step-children also survive, namely: Mrs. Titus Haby of Helotes and Mrs. Frank Bader of Durley. Ed. W. Tscheirhart from Rio Medina, Sebastian Tscheirhart of Pipe Creek, and Tom and Frank Tscheirhart of Castroville.

The funeral took place from the home Friday morning, followed by a

ANVIL SPARKS.

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try change in the value of money". A short time before this, the United States Chamber of Commerce issued a report pointing out that all the essentials of recovery—men, materials and demand for goods—are present—yet recovery does not come. It does not come because of that feeling of insecurity of which Mr. Baruch and a thousand other authorities have spoken—that feeling which causes capital, industry, workers and farmers to retrench, and to hold back the spending that would create real productive jobs, new opportunities in industry, new markets for agriculture, and normal conditions in this country.

Government has reviled and fought business. Government has taxed business to death. Government has held out a constant threat of still more severe "reprisals". The political drive for government ownership of much private business is destructive of private investments. The inevitable result is depression, and all the political promises and hot air will not fill the bread baskets. The more business is taxed and "lawed" against, the lower will drop the national income and the harder jobs will be to get. These are facts that cannot be laughed off. The longer they are ignored, the worse the depression will be.—Industrial News Review.

JOHN BROWN'S PAY CHECK.

According to an article by Frank R. Kent, current slackening of government borrowing is a deceiving phenomenon. Instead of borrowing directly from the banks or the people through the issuance of bonds, the government has now adopted a policy of spending the funds supposedly in trust with the government, by the people, under the Social Security Act. In other words, THE MONEY WHICH IS TAKEN OUT OF JOHN BROWN'S WEEKLY PAY CHECK, AND WHICH THE GOVERNMENT HAS PROMISED TO SET ASIDE TO CARE FOR HIM IN OLD AGE OR WHEN HE IS UNEMPLOYED, IS PROMPTLY BEING DUMPED INTO THE PUBLIC TREASURY FOR GENERAL EXPENSES!

The public treasury has simply become a vast and seemingly bottomless grab-bag. Politicians seeking to perpetuate themselves in office gleefully ply the treasury for money, and more money—money that is spent on everything from out-houses to cash registers. For the first 44 days of the current fiscal year the government spent \$954,805,188.94; its receipts were \$675,375,562.55; deficit, \$279,429,621.39.

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Although the volume of business done seemed large, he said there was little profit, as the tax collectors took the major portion of what might have been a return for his investment and the worry of trying to keep going. So he decided to quit.

Every business man, big or little, can appreciate how Mr. Nowak feels about all this. Not only are the taxes themselves an almost unbearable burden, but the endless bookkeeping, making of reports, and satisfying all the official boards, commissions, agents and inspectors are enough to drive one crazy, even if he were fortunate enough to make a little profit.—Selected.

THE GERM

By Clayton Rand

I talked to five men fresh from Spain, who had just seen the carnage of the bloody revolution over there. What they related was unspeakable.

I talked to an old man who had seen service in the War Between the States in which he, too, saw young men at each others throats.

The cruellest wars are those in which brother opposes brother in the manner of the beasts.

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APRIL WEATHER SUMMARY UPPER HONDO.

E. S. Rieber, U. S. Department of Agriculture cooperative observer, in his weather report for the month of April remarked that in his section the April frost was the worst in years and that corn and fruit were frozen. The country, however, is in good shape, with oats headed out, and sheep shearing in full swing.

Total precipitation for April was 4.43 inches, with the following days showing rainfall: April 7th, .30; 10th, .26; 14th, .04; 15th, .25; 17th, 1.41; 18th, .39; 19th, 1.23; 22nd, .05; 24th, .16; 26th, .59; and 27th, .01. The total from January 1st was 10.24 inches. Four days of the month were clear, 17 partly cloudy, and 9 cloudy—prevailing wind direction, south east.

The minimum temperature was 26 degrees on the 10th, with a maximum of 89 on 16th.

BAPTIST CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Sunday School at 9:45 A. M. Preaching Service at 11:00 A. M. Training Service at 6:30 P. M. Preaching Service at 7:30 P. M. Missionary Society Thursday at 3:00 P. M.

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—IRA V. GARRISON,
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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

The undersigned having been duly appointed Administrator of the Estate of Mrs. V. H. Blocker, deceased, by the County Court of Medina County, Texas, and qualified as such on April 2nd, 1938 notice is hereby given to all persons holding claim against said estate to present the same, as provided by law, and that all persons indebted to said estate make settlement of their debts.

My place of residence at this time is Monterey, N. L. Mexico, which is my Po. O. Address, care of American Consulate.

41. WILLIAM P. BLOCKER.

LaCOSTE H. D. CLUB NEWS.

Members of the LaCoste H. D. club met Miss Nell Foley at the home of Mrs. A. H. Ahr with thirteen members present.

Miss Foley demonstrated "Canning vegetables". She canned corn and beets.

After the meeting was over refreshments were served consisting of cake and ice cream.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Albert Bippert on Tuesday, May 24.

All visitors are welcome.

MRS. HERMAN HITZFELDER.

CARD OF THANKS.

We take this means of thanking one and all for your many expressions of sympathy in the loss of our beloved mother, Mrs. Eugenia Tscheirhart. We are especially grateful for the many acts of kindness extended us, for your presence at the funeral and for the beautiful flowers.

Gratefully yours,

THE FAMILY.

4-H CLUB MEETS.

The LaCoste 4-H club met Tuesday morning, May 2, 1938, at the home of Isabel Mangold with the county agent, Miss Nell Foley.

After the business meeting Miss Foley gave a demonstration on canning corn and beets.

After this the meeting adjourned.

GLADYS HALTY,
Reporter.

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Miss Josie Rothe

to whom all items intended for this column should be handed not later than Wednesday noon of each week. Miss Rothe is authorized to collect and receipt for money due this paper.

D'HANIS, TEXAS, WEDNESDAY, MAY 4, 1938

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Stantzenberger and Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Ahr of San Antonio visited Mr. and Mrs. Ed Keller and family and Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Lutz and family Sunday.

The next meeting will be held Monday evening, June 6.

CHURCH FEAST CELEBRATED

Tuesday, May 3, the feast of the Finding of the True Cross, was the occasion of a religious observance by the members of Holy Cross Parish.

Solemn High Mass was sung by the pastor, Rev. Eugene Zuber, assisted by Rev. Lyons of Uvalde and Rev. Schiehl of Devine as deacons.

Many friends of the late Tom Landford, who died in his home at Sabinal Friday, attended the funeral the following day. One of the survivors is his daughter, Mrs. A. J. Boog, of D'Hanis.

J. B. Langfeld, young son of Mr. Ben Langfeld, suffered a severe injury on his left eye while chopping wood one day last week. Following medical attention, the boy is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. John Zinsmeyer spent last Friday in Austin.

D'HANIS-FORT LINCOLN ASSOCIATION MEETS.

A called meeting of the D'Hanis-Fort Lincoln Historical Association was held at the W. O. W. Hall on Friday evening, April 29, to advance plans for its part in the coming Woodmen celebration.

The date has been definitely set for June 19, and the place will again be Fort Lincoln.

The president of the club, Gus Rothe, has appointed the following committees for the current year: Finance, M. M. Koch, Louis Carle, and Hilmar J. Koch; Fort Lincoln, J. Ephraim, A. H. Rothe, and R. F. Wolff; Old D'Hanis, O. J. Reinhardt, Mrs. J. F. Kimmery, and Carrie Langfeld; publicity, F. J. Carle, Herman Couster, Charles Langfeld, Mrs. A. J. Boog, and Virginia Wallrath; barbecue, John Rieber, Ben Koch, Henry Biry, A. J. Finger, Howard Rothe, George Ilse, Wallace Lutz, Will Nehr, Quaid Martin, W.

PEACE.

Far and high above the house-tops I see for miles around:

The great beauty of heaven, earth; Where glory can be found.</p